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Annual Report

of the

TOWN OFFICERS

of the

Town of Alfred, Maine



For Year Ending February 11, 1944

THE LINCOLN PRESS, SANFORD, MAINE
1944

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION

AND THE

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

OF THE

Town of

ALFRED, MAINE

TOGETHER WITH THE REPORTS OF

Selectmen, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Superintendent of Schools, High School Principal, Supervisor of Music, Alfred Fire Department, Directors and Librarian of Parsons Memorial Library

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TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk
HARRY J. KELLEY

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor
JOHN E. ROBERTS PERCY F. MORRILL
FREDERICK H. JONES

Superintending School Committee
GEORGE L. ROBERTS ELSIE A. DAVIS
ELIZABETH A. BEALS

Superintendent of Schools
MAYNARD E. WRIGHT

Treasurer
JAMES W. PLUMMER

Road Commissioners
THOMAS J. SCOTT LELAND H. GILE

Tax Collector
HARRY J. KELLEY

Health Officer
KATHRYN S. RICHARDS, R.N.

Constable
DUDLEY T. FORREST

Directors Parsons Memorial Library
CHARLES L. STEVENS HERBERT B. FERNALD
HATTIE E. CLARK MARION E. HEWEY
MARY C. EMERSON DAVID H. WILSON

REPORT OF SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

For the Municipal Year Ending February 11, 1944

Appropriated to Defray Town Expenses, State and County Taxes, Etc.

Alfred Fire Department	$ 450.00
Alfred Water Company	1,600.00
Care of Fountain and Park	20.00
Civilian Defense	150.00
Cutting Bushes, State Road	200.00
Discounts and Abatements	300.00
Electric Street Lights	300.00
Highways and Bridges	1,000.00
Incidentals	2,500.00
Maintenance Third Class Roads	472.00
Maintenance State Aid Highways	759.00
Opening Roads in Winter	1,500.00
Parsons Memorial Library	350.00
Public Health Nurse	50.00
Support of the Poor	200.00
Support of Schools	11,800.00
Repairs, Equipment and Insurance for Schools	515.00
Town Debt	2,000.00
Veterans' Aid Account	300.00
Total Appropriation	$ 24,466.00
State Tax	$ 4,278.25

County Tax	825.78	
Overlay	1,086.17	
Excise Tax	$1,081.90	
221 Polls	663.00	
	$1,744.90	
To Be Assessed		$ 30,656.20
Real Estate, Resident	$311,705.00	
Real Estate, Non-Resident	70,609.00	
Personal Estate, Resident	40,369.00	
Personal Estate, Non-Resident	67,648.00	
Total		$490,331.00

Tax Rate, 064.

RECOMMENDATIONS BY BUDGET COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 1944

Alfred Fire Department	$ 500.00
Alfred Fire Department, new hose	150.00
Alfred Water Company	1,600.00
Care of Fountain and Park	20.00
Discounts and Abatements	300.00
Electric Street Lights	600.00
Highways and Bridges	1,000.00
Incidental Expenses	2,500.00
Insurance	582.35
Maintenance State Aid Highway	759.00
Maintenance Third Class Road	472.00
Opening Roads in Winter	1,500.00

Parsons Memorial Library	350.00	
Public Health Nurse	25.00	
Public Health Officer	25.00	
School Nurse	25.00	
Repairs, Equipment and Insurance of Schools (for painting and redecorating)	2,150.00	
Support of Schools, including Salaries	12,300.00	
Support of Poor	200.00	
War Veterans' Aid Account	300.00	
Civilian Defense	150.00	
		$ 25,508.35

INCIDENTAL EXPENSES

Appropriation $2,500.00

Paid: 1943

Feb. 26	Beatrice Wallingford, clerical work	$ 14.00
Mar. 12	Milton Littlefield, shoveling hydrants	8.50
Mar. 12	Richard Burbank, shoveling hydrants	8.50
Mar. 12	George Roberts, School Committee salary, 1941	10.00
Mar. 12	Ruth Wilson, School Committee salary, 1941	10.00
Mar. 12	Elsie A. Davis, School Committee salary, 1941	10.00
Mar. 12	Richard Burbank, care of	

	Town Hall	2.00
Mar. 12	Milton Littlefield, care of Town Hall	2.00
Apr. 10	Harry Kelley, balance due on 1942 account as Collector	33.00
Apr. 10	Averill Press, printing Town Reports	144.00
Apr. 10	Homer Crooker, Insurance	245.60
Apr. 17	Sanford Pharmacy, Vaccine	.60
Apr. 17	Marion Moulton, M.D., attending clinic	5.00
May 1	John G. Smith, recording Tax Liens	1.50
May 15	Marks Printing House, supplies	6.27
May 15	State Treasurer, Auditor	78.25
May 15	Maine Municipal Association	35.00
May 28	George E. Crediford, work on town dump	11.50
May 28	S. B. Emery & Co., curtains for Town Hall	8.00
May 28	Marks Printing House, supplies	7.69
May 28	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies	8.50
May 28	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies	15.95
May 28	Forrest Clark, labor on toilets in Town Hall	13.88
June 11	John G. Smith, recording Tax Liens	11.00
June 11	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	1.70
June 11	Richard Burbank, care of	

	Town Hall	8.00
June 11	Milton C. Littlefield, care of Town Hall	12.00
June 11	Averill Press, supplies	4.25
June 11	William R. Hayes, work on town dump	5.00
June 11	Harry J. Kelley, postage on Liens, etc.	14.60
June 11	Dudley T. Forrest, destroying dog	2.00
June 11	Harry J. Kelley, Liens at $1.00	46.00
June 26	Walter Davis, decorating soldiers' graves	8.00
July 23	Registry of Deeds	13.06
July 23	J. W. Plummer, repairing town clock	25.55
Aug. 6	George Crediford, work on town dump	5.00
Aug. 6	Averill Press, Ballots	16.96
Aug. 6	Averill Press, Tax Bills	5.85
Aug. 6	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	.20
Aug. 6	Marks Printing House, supplies	.97
Aug. 20	Frank C. Lander, abstracts	13.00
Aug. 20	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies	11.00
Aug. 20	Harry J. Kelley, postage	9.23
Aug. 20	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies	16.65
Aug. 20	Homer E. Crooker, agent, insurance on town property	851.14
Aug. 20	Central Maine Power Co., light for town hall	.45

Sept. 3	George Crediford, work on town dump	7.00
Sept. 3	Frank C. Lander, abstracts	11.50
Oct. 1	Averill Press, supplies	4.58
Oct. 1	Frederick H. Jones, part of salary as Selectman	50.00
Oct. 15	John H. Smith, recording tax liens	2.16
Oct. 15	George Crediford, work on town dump	7.00
Oct. 29	Mrs. Samuel Furbish, Excise Tax Book	1.00
Oct. 29	Loring, Short & Harmon, Service Flag	22.93
Oct. 29	George Crediford, work on town dump	8.00
Oct. 29	Charles Graves, mowing town cemetery lots	2.00
Oct. 29	Harry J. Kelley, Collector's error, 1942	47.60
Oct. 29	Central Maine Power Co., lights for town hall	1.15
Nov. 12	John A. Roberts, equipment for Service Flag	2.60
Nov. 12	Marcia Shaw, work on town books	50.00
Nov. 12	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	.35
Nov. 26	Percy F. Morrill, part of salary as Selectman	50.00
Dec. 10	Central Maine Power Co., lights for town hall	1.00
Dec. 24	Kenneth Yates, wood for town hall	5.00

Dec. 24	George Crediford, work on town dump	11.00
Dec. 24	Carl E. Richards, M.D., Health Officer, 7-'39—4-'42	30.00
Dec. 24	Frederick A. Hobbs, Esquire, services, advice and disbursements	168.16
Dec. 31	Sanford Trust Co., check books	3.09
1944		
Jan. 14	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies	2.00
Jan. 14	Buxton Milling Co., flags for soldiers' graves	4.80
Jan. 14	Buxton Milling Co., supplies for town hall	.93
Jan. 14	Roscoe C. Butler, sealer of weights	5.00
Jan. 14	Central Maine Power Co., lights for town hall	1.45
Jan. 14	Leavitt Insurance Co., bonds for Collector and Treasurer	20.00
Jan. 14	Carl E. Richards, M.D., error in Folio 170	10.00
Jan. 14	Treasurer of State, Audit of 1942 accounts	86.19
Jan. 14	Kenneth Yates, shoveling hydrants	2.40
Jan. 14	Laurence E. Morrill, shoveling hydrants	2.40
Jan. 14	Remington Rand Inc., repair on adding machine	10.00
Jan. 14	Alfred K. Wilson, error in 1937 tax	6.72

Jan. 28	Thomas G. Brooks, fighting fire	2.00
Jan. 28	Central Maine Power Co., lights for town hall	1.00
Feb. 11	Kathryn Richards, health officer	10.00
Feb. 11	Kathryn Richards, school nurse	10.00
Feb. 11	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., lights for town hall	.20
Feb. 11	George L. Roberts, services on School Committee, 1942	10.00
Feb. 11	Elsie A. Davis, services on School Committee, 1942	10.00
Feb. 11	Elizabeth A. Beals, services on School Committee, 1942	10.00
Feb. 11	Marion Hewey, Excise Tax Collector	50.00
Feb. 11	John E. Roberts, balance salary as Selectman	200.00
Feb. 11	Frederick H. Jones, balance salary as Selectman	100.00
Feb. 11	Percy F. Morrill, balance salary as Selectman	125.00
Feb. 11	D. T. Forrest, Constable	18.00
Feb. 11	J. W. Plummer, postage and telephone	14.64
Feb. 11	J. W. Plummer, salary Treasurer	150.00
Feb. 11	Marion Hewey, balance Excise Tax Collector	25.00
Feb. 11	Homer Crooker, insurance on tractor and plow	9.84
Feb. 11	Harry J. Kelley, postage	5.30

Feb. 11	Harry J. Kelley, vital statistics	16.25	
Feb. 11	Harry J. Kelley, Town Clerk	50.00	
Feb. 11	Harry J. Kelley, Collector of Taxes	151.52	
			$3,368.11

Appropriation	$2,500.00	
Bank Stock from State	27.17	
Leavitt Insurance Co., refund on insurance	12.80	
State of Maine, refund on dog tax licenses	45.85	
Railroad Telephone Tax	36.22	
School Department, refund on insurance	316.79	
	$2,938.83	
Taken from Overlay	429.28	
		$3,368.11

MAINTENANCE OF STATE HIGHWAYS

Appropriation	$ 759.00

Orders Paid:

Oct. 29	State of Maine	$ 759.00

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES
1943 and 1944

Appropriated				$1,000.00
Orders Paid:				
May	1	Leland Gile, Payroll No. 1	$ 60.50	
May	1	Leland Gile, Payroll No. 2	56.50	
June	11	Leland Gile, Payroll No. 3	81.25	
Sept.	3	Leland Gile, Payroll No. 4	54.60	
Nov.	12	Leland Gile, Payroll No. 5	169.20	
				$ 422.05
Sept.	3	Thomas Scott, Payroll No. 1	$ 33.75	
		Thomas Scott, Payroll No. 2	7.50	
		Thomas Scott, Payroll No. 3	57.15	
		Thomas Scott, Payroll No. 4	81.40	
				$ 179.80
				$ 501.85
Unexpended				498.15
				$1,000.00

OPENING ROADS IN WINTER

Appropriated				$1,500.00

Thomas Scott

Orders Paid:				
1943				
Apr.	17	Plowing Snow	$ 161.80	
Apr.	17	J. W. Plummer, gas	11.72	

Apr.	17	E. C. Ricker & Sons gas	15.55
Apr.	17	E. C. Ricker & Sons, gas	33.40
Sept.	17	Snow Fence removal	26.50
Dec.	10	One-half storage on tractor	60.00
Dec.	10	Erecting snow fence	46.00
Dec.	10	Plowing snow	43.00
Dec.	10	Town Road	24.90
Dec.	10	W. H. Shurtliff Co., salt ..	32.37½
1944			
Jan.	14	Snow removal and sand	125.45
Feb.	11	Plowing snow	79.20
Feb.	11	Carroll F. Stevens, snow removal	4.30
			$ 664.19½

Leland Gile

Orders Paid:

1943

Mar.	12	Plowing Snow	$ 88.54
Mar.	12	Plowing Snow	98.02
Apr.	10	Sanding	40.60
Apr.	10	Plowing snow and sanding ..	16.25
Apr.	10	Plowing	45.10
Apr.	10	Sanding	15.20
May	1	Removing snow fence	37.80
Nov.	26	Plowing snow	169.58
Nov.	26	Erecting snow fence	84.00
Dec.	10	One-half storage on tractor	60.00
Dec.	10	W. H. Shurtliff Co., salt	32.37½
Dec.	10	Plowing snow	21.70
Dec.	10	Stock	13.90

Dec. 10	Stock	90.05	
Dec. 10	Sanding	49.00	
Dec. 10	George St. Cyr, sand for stock	3.65	
Dec. 31	To correct error	3.75	
1944			
Jan. 14	Sanding	164.52	
Jan. 14	Sanding	36.30	
Feb. 11	Snow Removal	37.33	
Feb. 11	Snow Removal	52.04	
			$1,159.70
			$1,823.90
Appropriated		$1,500.00	
Taken from Overlay		323.90	
			$1,823.90

1943			
Aug. 6	State Highway Department (due State on Snow Account of 1942)	$ 24.06	
	Taken from Overlay	24.06	

CUTTING BUSHES ON STATE ROAD

Appropriated	$ 200.00
Unexpended	200.00

MAINTENANCE OF THIRD CLASS ROADS

Appropriation			$ 472.00
Orders Paid:			
May 1	Leland Gile	$ 27.00	
Aug. 20	Leland Gile	230.25	
Nov. 12	Kappers' Co., tar	175.00	
			$ 432.25
Unexpended			39.75
			$ 472.00

SUPPORT OF POOR

Appropriation			$ 200.00
	Mabel Bracy		
1943			
Sept. 3	Forrest Burbank, milk (1942)	$ 17.10	
	Jean Grover		
Aug. 6	State Treasurer	$ 123.00	
Oct. 29	State Treasurer	87.00	
1944			
Feb. 11	State Treasurer	87.00	
	Alonzo Ross		
1943			
Dec. 24	L. H. Carll, burial	128.00	
			$ 442.10
Taken from Overlay			242.10
			$ 442.10

NOTE: Due Town from State for medical services paid in 1942 and burial of Alonzo Ross:

H. Goodall Hospital	$ 26.50	
Dr. A. Davis	15.00	
L. H. Carll	128.00	
	$ 169.50	
Due from State, Mabel Bracy's Account		291.90
		$ 291.90

STATE TAX

1943			
Paid		1943 State Tax	$4,278.25
Oct.	1	State Treasurer	$4,278.25

YORK COUNTY TAX

1943			
Paid		1943 County Tax	$ 825.78
Oct.	1	York County Treasurer	$ 825.78

LOAN IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES

1943			
Paid		Borrowed from Sanford Institution for Savings	$6,000.00
Aug.	20	Sanford Institution for Savings	$6,000.00

INTEREST ON BONDS

1943			
Orders Paid			
Feb. 26	Bearice E. Wallingford	$ 180.00	
May 28	J. W. Plummer, premium on bond	120.00	
May 28	J. W. Plummer	60.00	
Oct. 15	J. W. Plummer	45.00	
Aug. 20	J. W. Plummer	12.33	
No Appropriation.			
Taken from Overlay			$ 417.33

ALFRED FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation			$ 450.00
Orders Paid			
July 23	Part of Appropriation	$ 200.00	
Nov. 12	Part of Appropriation	100.00	
1944			
Jan. 28	Balance of Appropriation	150.00	
			$ 450.00

CIVILIAN DEFENSE

Appropriation			$ 150.00
1943			
Aug. 11	Town of Waterboro	$ 95.24	
1944			
Feb. 11	Henry Brock	16.50	
			$ 261.74

Orders Paid:

May 28	Walter Davis, janitor service	$ 17.00
June 11	Dudley T. Forrest, cards	3.75
June 11	George C. Frye, supplies	1.09
June 11	Arthur A. Gould, postage	1.25
June 26	Lincoln Press	5.25
June 26	Robert T. Hardy	3.00
July 23	George C. Frye, supplies	1.30
July 23	Percy H. Smith, labor	34.00
July 23	Shepard & Morse Lumber Co.	22.50
July 23	M. H. Dutton Co.	14.30
July 23	S. J. Nowell	5.90
July 23	N. J. Gendron	27.54
July 23	Dennis Johnson	33.13
July 23	Harris A. Smart	29.40
July 23	E. S. Carll	9.80
July 23	John A. Roberts	13.91
Sept. 3	McLellan Stores, blankets	7.16
Sept. 17	John A. Roberts	18.90
Oct. 29	Robert T. Hardy, wood	18.00
Dec. 24	Kenneth Yates, wood	12.00
1944		
Jan. 14	Buxton Milling Co.	7.30
Feb. 11	W. I. Mack, janitor service	5.50
Feb. 11	Town of Waterboro, coal	8.25
		$ 300.23
	Taken from Overlay	$ 38.49

ALFRED WATER COMPANY
HYDRANT RENTAL

Appropriation		$1,600.00
Orders Paid:		
July 9	$ 800.00	
Dec. 10	800.00	
		$1,600.00

CARE OF FOUNTAIN AND PARK

Appropriation		$ 20.00
Orders Paid:		
May 28 Walter Clark	$ 2.00	
June 11 Conrad Roux	1.80	
Nov. 26 Walter Clark	8.00	
1944		
Feb. 11 W. I. Mack	5.75	
		$ 17.55
Unexpended Balance		2.45
		$ 20.00

PURCHASE OF FIRE EQUIPMENT

Appropriation 1941	$ 150.00
Orders Paid:	
Feb. 11, 1944	$ 150.00

ELECTRIC STREET LIGHTS

Appropriation		$ 300.00
Expended	$ 411.67	
Taken from Overlay	111.67	
		$ 300.00

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Appropriation	$ 350.00
Paid Feb. 11	$ 350.00

PAYMENT OF TOWN BOND

Appropriation **$2,000.00**

Orders Paid:

Oct. 15	J. W. Plummer, Sanford Institution for Savings	$2,000.00
May 28	J. W. Plummer, Sanford Institution for Savings (Taken from Unexpended Balance of 1942.)	$6,000.00

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Appropriation	$ 50.00
Expended	$ 50.00

WAR VETERANS' AID ACCOUNT

Appropriation			$ 300.00
Orders Paid:			
Aug. 20	Robert T. Hardy, wood (C. Bracy)	$ 6.00	
Oct. 29	Robert T. Hardy, wood (C. Bracy)	180.00	
Dec. 24	Kenneth Yates, slabs (C. Bracy)	8.00	
			$ 194.00
Nov. 13	Robert T. Hardy, refund on overpayment		$ 72.00
	Unexpended Balance	$ 78.00	
			$ 372.00

SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS

Unexpended Balance, Support of Schools	$ 278.96
Unexpended Balance, repairs, equipment and insurance	53.06
Appropriated, Support of Schools	11,800.00
Appropriated, repairs, equipment and insurance	515.00
Superintendent's salary taken from Incidental Account	320.83
Received from State	1,826.22
Tuition from Lyman	75.00
Boston & Maine Railroad, refund on express	2.03

American Education Press, refund on supplies	8.00	
		$14,879.07
Orders Paid:		
J. W. Plummer, treasurer, 23 payrolls from February 10, 1943 to and including February 11, 1944		$14,243.79
Unexpended Balance		$ 635.28

State of Maine

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT

AUGUSTA

November 3, 1943

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Alfred:

In accordance with the request of your municipal officers, this department, represented by M. W. Bragdon, has completed an examination of the accounts of your town officials for the municipal year ended February 10, 1943.

In our opinion, based upon such examination, the accompanying exhibits and schedules fairly present the financial condition of your municipality as of February 10, 1943 and the results of its operations for the period then ended.

The data obtained by us is summarized in the following:

Comments

Exhibit	A	Balance Sheet
	B	Cash Receipts and Disbursements
	C	1942 Valuation, Tax Assessment and Collection
	D	Statement of Departmental Operations
	E	Analysis of Change in Net Deficit
Schedule	1	Reconciliation of Treasurer's Cash Balance
	2	Special Funds
	3	Summary of Taxes
	4	Summary of Tax Liens
	5	Tax Deeds
	6	Accounts Payable
	7	Notes Payable

Respectfully submitted,

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT

HAROLD E. CRAWFORD,

Municipal Auditor.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1934 HELD BY TOWN

Fenwick, John	$ 67.94
	$ 67.94*

*No interest included after June 1935.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1936 HELD BY TOWN

Berg, Arthur K. Estate	$ 10.94	
Boston, Herman	.94	
Robbins, John	17.52	
		$ 29.40*

*No interest included after March 1937.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1937 HELD BY TOWN

Berg, Arthur K. Estate	$ 10.49	
Robbins, John	16.79	
		$ 27.28*

*No interest included after February 1938.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1938 HELD BY TOWN

Nowell, Ralph E.	$ 5.90	
Robbins, John	19.20	
Thyng, Guy	3.00	
		$ 28.10*

*No interest included after March 1939.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1939 HELD BY TOWN

Boston, Herman	$ 14.54
Chadbourne, Herbert	41.34
Cluff, Charles Estate	66.14
Drowns, Horace Heirs	3.31
McDonald, Idella	4.14
Robbins, John	2.76
	$ 149.87*

*No interest included after March 1940.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1940 HELD BY TOWN

Boston, Herman E.	$ 17.40
Brown, Angelina M. (Mrs.)	65.63
Chadbourne, Herbert N.	69.56
Cluff, Charles H. Estate	69.55
Drowns, Horace Heirs	3.48
Flanders, Cheslie	11.60
Nowell, Ralph E.	5.80
Robbins, John	18.52
	$ 262.54*

*No interest included after April 1941.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1941 HELD BY TOWN

Birch, Charles W.	$ 20.35
Brown, Angelina (Mrs.) or T. J. Brown	142.10

Boston, Herman	16.50
Chadbourne, Herbert N.	57.75
Cluff, Charles H. Estate	66.00
Crane, Mrs. Charles	118.25
Drowns, Horace Heirs	3.30
Drowns, Orrin Heirs	6.60
Fenwick, John	27.50
Nowell, Ralph E.	5.50
Robbins, John	17.60
	$ 481.45*

*No interest included after March 1942.

These tax liens are resources held by the town and not shown in the treasurer's report.

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES—1939

Allen, Charles	$ 1.59
Bracy, Mabel	4.03
Blanchard, Fred	1.33
Carpenter, John	4.03
Champagne, Gerard	1.33
Chadbourne, Herbert N.	9.33
Cluff, Charles H. Estate	2.70
Foltz, Wilmer	5.30
Flanders, Cheslie	16.16
Gagne, Frank	5.56
Hicken, Burleigh	1.33
Hayes, William	4.02
Jarvis, Edward	2.65
Johnstone, John	1.33
Leach, Harold	43.73
Leach, Kenneth	3.18

Penney, John	1.33
Ricker, Walter	7.21
Robbins, John	5.30
Roux, Conrad	51.15
Woodsome, Norris	2.65
	$ 175.24

UNCOLLECTED POLLS—1939

Champagne, Gerard	$ 3.00
DeWitt, George	3.00
Flanders, Cheslie	3.00
Johnstone, John	3.00
Maddix, Chester	3.00
Pollock, John	3.00
Poole, Ralph	3.00
Yates, Herman	3.00
Yates, William	3.00
	$ 27.00

GRACE L. AKERS,

Tax Collector, 1939.

DISCOUNTS AND ABATEMENTS

Appropriation		$ 300.00
Discounted and Abated	$ 407.96	
Taken from Overlay		$ 107.96

OVERLAY

Overlay Assessed According to Law		$1,086.17
Overdrafts:		
Incidentals	$ 429.28	
State Aid Highway	24.06	
Support of Poor	242.10	
Interest on Bonds	417.33	
Cicilian Defense	38.49	
Opening Roads in Winter	323.90	
Street Lights	111.67	
Discounts and Abatements	107.96	
	$1,694.79	
Overdraft		$ 608.62

Respectfully submitted:

JOHN E. ROBERTS
PERCY F. MORRILL
FREDERICK H. JONES

TREASURER'S REPORT
Town of Alfred

RECEIPTS

1943		
Balance		$ 3,812.68
Balance 1942 Appropriation Unexpended (reserved)		3,733.00
From Harry J. Kelley, Tax Collector:		
1943 Taxes, Real Estate and Per-		

sonal	$ 28,886.96	
1943 Polls	675.00	
Back Taxes	736.82	
Grace L. Akers, 1939 Tax	28.44	
Marion E. Hewey, Excise Tax	780.98	
Beatrice Wallingford, Excise Tax	686.61	
Frederick A. Hobbs, Tax Liens	1,547.09	
Liens	541.17	
		$ 33,883.07
Tuition, Town of Lyman	$ 75.00	
Henry Brock for coal	16.50	
Boston & Maine refund	2.03	
Robert T. Hardy, refund on wood	72.00	
Leavitt Insurance Agency, refund	12.80	
Town of Waterboro	95.24	
Marks Printing House	.45	
M. E. Wright, refund	8.00	
Sanford Institution for Savings	6,000.00	
White Mountain National Forest Reserve	45.82	
		$ 6,327.84
State of Maine		
Department of Education	$ 36.30	
Railroad and Telephone Tax	36.22	
School Fund	1,789.92	
Dog Tax	45.84	
Bank Stock Tax	27.17	
		$ 1,935.45
		$ 49,692.04

Teachers' Retirement Fund	137.32
Withholding Tax	310.31
	$ 50,139.67

EXPENDITURES

By Order of Selectmen	$ 44,612.51
Cash on Hand	5,527.16
	$ 50,139.67

RESOURCES

1942 Tax Liens

Flanders, Cheslie	$ 49.66
Birch, Charles W.	26.30
Chadbourne, Herbert N.	71.06
Cluff, Charles H. Estate	85.27
Foltz, Wilmer	113.70
Grover, Carroll and Jean	21.30
Hall, Harold	42.60
Hussey, Charles H.	7.11
Roux, Conrad	213.18
Stearns, Georgia H.	341.94
Brown, Mrs. Angeline M.	177.65
Dubois, Alice	41.63
Crane, Mrs. Charles	152.78
Drowns, Horace Heirs	4.27
Fenwick, John	35.53
McDonald, Idella	5.30
Nowell, Ralph E.	7.05
Robbins, John	22.73
Smith, George H. Heirs	21.23
	$1,440.29

Interest and Costs not included in the above liens.

TAX DEEDS

Clark, Samuel, dated February 7, 1927	$ 69.81
Junkins, Alfred, dated February 2, 1929	19.26
Jacobs, A. E., dated February 2, 1932	8.07
	$ 97.14

All town notes and interest are paid in full, also the money that was hired in anticipation of taxes.

The State and County Tax for 1943 was paid by Warrant of Selectmen.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,

Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 23, 1943

ALFRED FIRE DEPARTMENT TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS 1943

Balance		$ 175.01
Apr. 5	Fidelity Trust Co., dividend	8.02
July 23	Town of Alfred	200.00
Nov. 12	Town of Alfred	100.00
1944		
Jan. 28	Town of Alfred	150.00
Feb. 11	Town of Alfred	150.00
		$ 783.03

EXPENDITURES

1943		
Mar. 1	Central Maine Power Co.	$ 5.05
Mar. 3	G. C. Downs	2.67
Mar. 10	John M. Gerry	16.00
	Forrest Clark	9.03
	The Lincoln Press	4.50
	Merton E. Hewett	1.75
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	4.55
Apr. 12	Walter Babcock	31.28
	J. W. Plummer	16.52
	Buxton Milling Co.	3.60
	John M. Gerry	16.00
	Central Maine Power Co.	5.80
	New England Tel. &Tel. Co.	4.90
May 8	Lincoln Press	8.25
	John M. Gerry	16.00
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	5.10
	Central Maine Power Co.	5.35
	Dudley Forrest	2.10
	Forrest Clark	2.75
July 26	J. W. Plummer	3 .40
	Central Maine Power Co.	4.60
	Norris F. Brackett	10.56
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	4.55
	Service charge, May 14, 1943	1.00
	Service charge, June 14, 1943	1.00
	Service charge, July 19, 1943	1.00
	Service charge, August 1943	1.00
	Service charge, September 1943	1.00
Aug. 9	Eastern Fire Equipment, Inc.	108.93
	Eastern Fire Equipment, Inc.	46.31

	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	9.65
	Central Maine Power Co.	8.00
Sept. 30	Central Maine Power Co.	4.00
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	4.75
Oct. 4	Buxton Milling Co.	7.67
	D. T. Forrest	2.00
	Central Maine Power Co.	4.60
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	4.75
	New England. Tel. & Tel. Co.	4.55
Nov. 14	Central Maine Power Co.	5.35
	Plummer's Garage	22.10
	Norris F. Brackett	.50
	Charles A. Trafton	15.55
Dec. 6	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	4.40
	Central Maine Power Co.	5.95
	Herald Furniture Co.	15.75
	John Gerry	16.00
	Service charge, November 1943	1.00
	Service charge, December 1943	1.00

1944

Jan. 23	Central Maine Power Co.	7.45
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	4.80
	Charles A. Trafton	15.36
	Merton E. Hewett	1.62
	John M. Gerry	16.00
	Buxton Milling Co.	6.09
	John A. Roberts	4.90
	Service charge, January 1944	1.00
	Central Maine Power Co.	7.75
H. Alberta Roberts		22.66

John Gerry	16.00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	4.70
Cash to Balance	192.58
	$ 783.03

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES W. PLUMMER,
Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 23, 1944

OLD CEMETERY FUND

TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS 1943

Balance	$1,799.57
Interest on Deposit	36.16
	$1,835.73

EXPENDITURES 1943

William Harmon	$ 17.60
Cash to Balance	1,818.13
	$1,835.73

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES W. PLUMMER,
Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 23, 1944

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY
TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS 1943

Balance	$2,536.38
Library Fines	30.00
New York Trust Company	44.77
New York Trust Company	44.77
Atkinson Topeka & S. F. R. R. Co.	150.00
Maine State Library Stipend	25.00
New York Trust Company	44.77
Sale of Books	6.34
New York Trust Co.	36.02
Sale of Book	1.05
Henry Parsons	100.00
New York Trust Company	44.77
Sale of Book	1.91
Atkinson Topeka & S. F. R. R. Co.	150.00
Town of Alfred	350.00
Library Fines	30.00
Sanford Institution for Savings, Interest	26.55
Sanford Trust Co., Interest	9.79
	$3,632.12

EXPENDITURES 1943

Paid by Order of Directors	$ 779.82
Balance on Hand	2,852.30
	$3,632.12

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES W. PLUMMER,
Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 23, 1944

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

Alfred, Maine, 1943

Commitment Real and Personal Estate	$ 31,381.20	
Less Adjustment of Mills	.30	
		$ 31,380.90
Paid Treasurer	$ 28,553.58	
Cash on Hand	2.00	
Discounts	371.90	
Abatements	259.26	
Abated and put in Suppleentary Tax	140.80	
Uncollected Resident Real and Personal	1,351.65	
Uncollected Non-Resident and Personal	701.71	
		$ 31,380.90
Interest Collected on above	$ 154.19	
Paid Treasurer		154.19
Supplementary Tax Collected	182.32	
Paid Treasurer		179.19
Discounts on Supplementary		3.13
		$ 182.32
Poll Commitment	$ 666.00	

Supplementary Polls	45.00	
		$ 711.00
Paid Treasurer	$ 675.00	
Polls Abated	3.00	
Polls Uncollected	33.00	
		$ 711.00
Total Collections, 1943	$ 29,567.16	
Personal Taxes Collected for Years 1937-38-40-41-42 Plus Interest	724.82	
Polls Collected for 1942	12.00	
		$ 30,303.98
Paid Treasurer	$ 30,298.78	
Refund Mrs. Sumner B. Marshall, Jr.	3.20	
Cash on Hand	2.00	
		$ 30,303.98

ABATEMENTS

John M. Gerry, transferred to supplementary tax	$ 140.80
Shepard and Morse, property not owned	57.80
Edward P. Cook, error in valuation	47.36
Mrs. Dudley T. Forrest, over assessed	14.40
Fayette S. Brown, over assessed	12.80

Roland Patry, error in taxing	38.40	
George Williams, error in taxing	8.06	
Herbert Hussey, error in taxing	5.12	
Charles Yeaton, error in taxing	3.20	
Frank Ridley, error in taxing	12.80	
Frank Bickford, error in taxing	6.40	
Mrs. Sumner B. Marshall, Jr., no refrigerator	3.20	
Walter Babcock, no refrigerator	3.20	
Forrest Clark, no piano	3.26	
Elmer Pease, no piano	3.26	
American Oil Co., no gas pump	16.00	
Justin Burdin, exempt as veteran	24.00	
		$ 400.06

UNCOLLECTED POLLS—1943

Wilfred Allaire	$ 3.00	
William J. DeMille	3.00	
Kenneth Fogg, moved away	3.00	
George W. Knight, exempt	3.00	
W. I. Mack, exempt	3.00	
Walter E. Ricker, exempt	3.00	
Arvard V. Webster, paid in Auburn	3.00	
Richard A. Watson, moved away	3.00	
Willis M. Wilson	3.00	
Harold Yeaton, moved away	3.00	
Ara Eastman, moved away	3.00	
		$ 33.00

ABATED POLLS

Justin Burdin	$ 3.00	
William J. DeMille, paid poll after books closed	3.00	
		$ 6.00

RESIDENT UNCOLLECTED REAL AND PERSONAL—1943

Wilfred Allaire	$ 15.36
Charles H. Burns	15.36
Charles H. Cluff Estate	76.80
George Day	8.32
William DeMille	28.80
William J. Farrar	240.19
Chesley Flanders	77.88
Wilmer Foltz	102.40
Elmer Goodrich	1.60
Carrol Grover	3.20
Carrol and Jean Grover	19.20
Harold Hall	45.82
Emma Hammons Heirs	102.40
Cora B. Hayes Heirs	9.60
William Hayes	4.86
Clarence and Harriet Henderson	8.00
Charles H. Hussey	6.40
Harold Leach	1.60
Rupert Lord	48.96
Ralph Nichols	1.60
Susie Pollock	48.00
Henry E. Roberts	8.06

Lester D. Roberts	1.60
Wallace E. Roberts	64.00
Georgia H. Stearns	307.96
Norman L. Storer	1.60
Ernest and Christina Willey	46.08
Willis Wilson	1.60
Sewall Sawyer	54.40
	$1,351.65

Paid After Books Closed

Ernest and Christina Willey, $46.08 plus interest $1.38
Charles H. Cluff Estate, $10.00
Charles Torno Taxes for 1942 in Litigation, $108.80

UNCOLLECTED NON-RESIDENT REAL ESTATE

Herman D. Boston	$ 19.20
Mrs. Angelina M. Brown	160.00
Mrs. Charles Crane	137.60
Millet F. Day	8.00
Mrs. Emily Drown	32.00
Horace Drown Heirs	3.84
Edward H. Emery	4.80
John Fenwick	32.00
Walter W. Gowen	12.80
Mary H. Kimball Estate	137.60
Amelia Lapanne	9.60
George Moulton	28.80
Idella McDonald	4.80
Ralph E. Nowell	6.40

Esther D. Paul	4.48	
W. True and J. Everett Ridley, balance	25.55	
John Robbins	20.48	
Arthur L. Roberts	2.56	
Shell Gas Co.	1.60	
George H. Smith Estate	19.20	
Herman K. Walker	16.00	
Mrs. Lavinia Wormwood	11.20	
Mark Wormwood	3.20	
		$ 701.71

DOG TAXES

Number of Dogs	102	
Males	75	
Felames	5	
S. Females	22	
		102
Amount Collected		$ 116.70
Paid Secretary of Agriculture		$ 116.70

HARRY J. KELLEY,

Tax Collector.

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES—1938

Mrs. Mabel Bracy	$ 4.41
Albert E. Carpenter	42.86
Fred Blanchard	1.45
Charles H. Cluff Estate	10.15

Burleigh Hicken	1.45
Edward Jarvis	2.90
John Johnstone	1.45
Rupert Lord	1.45
Harold Leach	26.39
Kenneth Leach	68.44
John Penney	1.45
Harland Ward	1.45
Minnie Woodward	1.45
Charles Yeaton	10.44
John Robbins	31.90
Burton E. Lane	11.60
	$ 219.24

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES—1940

Mrs. Mabel Bracy	$ 4.26
Fred Blanchard	1.40
Herbert N. Chadbourne	9.86
Clifton Clark	1.40
Charles H. Cluff Estate	2.86
John B. Donovan	5.88
Wilmer Foltz	5.60
Mrs. Joseph Fournier	12.04
Harold Hall	7.34
George E. Hayes Estate	8.40
William Hayes	4.26
Burleigh Hicken	1.40
John Johnstone	1.40
Harold Leach	31.92
Kenneth Leach	25.20
Waldo Ricker	1.40

Henry E. Roberts	4.20
Mrs. Mabel Webster	1.40
	$ 130.22

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES—1941

Chesley Bracy	$ 1.38
Mabel Bracy	4.18
Charles Burns	10.18
Charles H. Cluff Estate	2.81
John B. Donovan	3.03
Thomas Guay	4.46
George E. Hayes Estate	8.25
George Hicken	1.38
William Hayes	4.18
Harold Hall	7.20
Harold Leach	37.40
Kenneth Leach	4.13
Ralph Nichols	2.75
John Penney	1.38
Ralph Poole	1.38
	$ 94.09

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES—1942

Owen Gilpatrick	$ 3.00
Clarence E. Henderson	3.00
Charles H. Hussey	3.00

James C. Noonan	3.00	
Ralph M. Poole	3.00	
Irving Yates	3.00	
		$ 18.00

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES—1942

Fred Blanchard	$ 1.70	
Charles Burns	14.28	
Herbert N. Chadbourne	8.57	
Charles H. Cluff Estate	3.47	
George Day	9.52	
Wilmer Foltz	3.40	
Cheslie Flanders	10.36	
Carroll and Jean Grover	3.40	
Owen Gilpatrick	6.80	
Harold Hall	8.90	
William Hayes	5.17	
Harold Leach	4.08	
Roscoe Morse	1.70	
Ralph Nichols	1.70	
Ralph Poole	1.70	
Waldo and Nedra Ricker	5.10	
		$ 89.85

UNCOLLECTED NON-RESIDENT PERSONAL TAXES—1942

Edward H. Emery	$ 5.10	
Herman K. Walker	17.00	
1938-40-41-42		$ 22.10

HARRY J. KELLEY,
Tax Collector.

REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICER

Nine cases of measles, two of whooping cough and one case of meningitis have been reported to me since my appointment October 13, 1943.

Robert T. Hardy was appointed plumbing inspector.

All contagious, infectious and communicable diseases should be reported immediately when diagnosed as such by a physician.

Special attention is called to:

Tuberculosis
Pneumonia
Diphtheria
Scarlet Fever
Typhoid Fever
Small Pox
Measles
Whooping Cough
Infantile Paralysis
Spinal Meningitis

KATHRYN S. RICHARDS, R. N.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To the citizens of the Town of Alfred I hereby submit my report beginning with my appointment in October 1943.

At the request of the teachers and the Alfred Health Council I made an inspection of the grade school pupils, in October, as the Public Health Nurse for York County had not then been appointed.

Total Pupils Inspected	130
Defects Found	46
Evidence of Pediculosis	9
Teeth	31
Throat	6

Notes were sent the parents of pupils with defects and I hereby thank them for their cooperation.

Several minor accidents at the school were given first aid and three pupils taken to physicians for treatment since October.

Respectfully submitted,

KATHRYN S. RICHARDS, R. N.

School Nurse.

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE
Alfred, Maine

To the citizens of the Town of Alfred, I hereby submit the annual report for the year 1943.

During January some of the 1942 annual inspections were completed. Twenty children were given smallpox vaccinations. Eleven children were immunized against diphtheria. A special effort was made to secure a dental hygienist for the school.

The Tuberculin Patch Tests were given to 25 children in February and March. Five children and five adults were vaccinated against smallpox three im-

munized for diphtheria during April. A motion picture on Tuberculosis was shown to approximately 150 pupils in the school.

I wish to thank the school principal for the use of the motion picture machine for use in other schools in the county.

All reactors to Tuberculin Tests were taken to State Diagnostic Clinic in Biddeford for X-rays. The results of the X-rays reported to parents of the children, and information given in regard to care and responsibility of such cases in the homes.

Numerous visits were made during the year to homes of school children regarding various diseases, for making arrangements and helping with necessary corrections.

The following is a report of the annual health

Number of pupils enrolled	131
Number of pupils inspected	118
Defects found:	
Teeth	69
Throat	19
Skin	3
Speech	1
Pediculosis	1
Unclean teeth	29
Corrections made during year:	
Teeth	24
Throat	4
Number of Seven Point Pupils	35

In submitting my first annual report for the York County Health Service, I wish to thank the teachers and parents for their cooperation and keen understanding of the importance of the work. It has been a pleasure to work with the children since the appreciation of the parents has been reflected in their dispositions towards the various examinations.

Respectfully sumbitted,
NELLIE P. SAWYER,
York County Health Service
By: NELLIE R. SAWYER, R. N.
Public Health Nurse

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY
Alfred, Maine

To the Directors of Parsons Memorial Library:

I present the following as the fortieth annual report:

The work of the library has been much as usual although more young children than formerly are using it. With the aid of several travelling libraries from Augusta, consisting of selected books for different age groups, and a guide from the National Council of English, Washington, D. C., I have tried to help them in their choice of reading.

During prize speaking at the High School, a box of books containing suitable selections for the students was also available.

The older people have not been neglected, and Robert Hale, M.C., has been very kind in promptly sending, upon request, material that has been of help to the New Century Club. The Club this year, following its usual custom, has presented us with the autobiography of Wilbur Cross, "Connecticut Yankee."

There has been an increase in the circulation of non-fiction.

Mrs. Hattie Clark gives us Parent Magazine, as in the past, and between forty and fifty books have been received from various people during the year, for which we are grateful as the income from our book fund has decreased.

Mr. Henry Parsons very generously made us a gift of a hundred dollars toward maintenance, and a new bulletin board was also presented to the library on which we are able to post notices of interest.

Fresh shelf and classification labels have been added to the non-fiction downstairs, and the collective and individual biagraphies separated.

An innovation at the library this year was the successful observance of Art Week in November, with over two hundred visitors signing the register. Many interesting exhibits by local people were shown, including paintings (oil and water colors), rugs, wood carvings and embroideries.

Plans which were made for Book Week were unable to be carried out on account of the weather.

One need of the library is a new dictionary, for

which a small fund has already been started.

The age group of the Junior Guild has been changed from 9 to 11, to 12 to 16 years, affording the older children a chance to enjoy these fine books.

Miss Barbara Donovan is helping at the library busy afternoons and is a very capable assistant.

Although the circulation isn't large at the present time, we are fortunate indeed in having such a building, for here in our town library is "all the world and life itself alive on printed page."

Following is a list of books added during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE R. HEWEY,

Librarian.

BOOKS ADDED TO PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY IN 1943

Albee, Fred H. A Surgeon's Fight to Rebuild Man
Allbrand, Martha No Surrender
Atherton, Gertrude The Avalanche
Barrington, E. The Divine Lady
Beaty, John Y. Nature is Stranger than Fiction
Becker, Carl L. Beginnings of the American People
Beston, Henry The St. Lawrence
Bower, B. M. Trouble Rides the Wind
Bretherton, Vivian The Rock and the Wind
Bromfield, Louis Mrs. Parkington

Brown, Helen Two College Girls
Bryce, Wm. A Short History of the Canadian People
Buck, Frank All in a Lifetime
Coburn, Louise H. Skowhegan on the Kennebec
Vol. I and Vol. II.
Cooper, Kent Barriers Down
Craine, E. J.
..... Airplane Boys Flying to Amy-Ran Fastness
Craine, E. J. Airplane Boys in the Black Woods
Cross, Wilbur Connecticut Yankee
Daly, Maureen Seventeenth Summer
Damon, Bertha A Sense of Humus
Dame, Laurence New England Comes Back
Davenport, Marcia The Valley of Decision
Davis, Lavinia R. Plow Penny Mystery
Douglas, Lloyd The Robe
Driscoll, Joseph War Discovers Alaska
Du Bois, Theodora Banjo the Crow
Du Maurier, Daphne Hungry Hill
Duffe, Marcelle L. New England Colonial Days
Dyke, A. L.
Auto and Gasoline Engine Encyclopedia, 1942 Edition
Floherty, John J. The Courage and the Glory
Floherty, John J. Aviation from Shop to Sky
Fosdick, Harry Emerson On Being a Real Person
Foster, Constance J. This Rich World
Fox, Frances M. The Wilding Princess
Frost, Robert New Hampshire
Fuller, Robert H. Jubilee Jim
Funk, Charles Earle, Ed.
..... New International Year Book
Glasgow, Ellen They Stooped to Folly
Gregory, Jackson The Bells of San Juan
Gregory, Jackson The Man from Texas

Grey, Zane Stairs of Sand
Grew, Joseph Report from Tokyo
Hatch, Alden Heroes of Annapolis
Hogarth, Grace Allen Australia, the Island Continent
Hawthorne, Hildegarde The Long Adventure
Hill, Mary Phelham, Ed.
..... Vital Records of Georgetown, Me.
Hill, Ernestine The Land Down Under
Hill, Grace Livingston The Strange Proposal
Hoffman, Eleanor Mischief in Fez
Holt, Rackham George Washington Carver
Hull, Helen A Circle in the Water
Hope, Laura Lee Bobbsey Twins at Snow Lodge
Hoover, Herbert and Gibson, Hugh
..... Problems of Lasting Peace
Jenesen, Madge Sunwise Turn
Johnston, Wm. Limpy
Jordan, Elizabeth Herself
Judson, Clara Ingram They Came from France
Keyes, Frances Parkinson Cresent Carnival
Kummer, Frederick Arnold The Perilous Island
Larrimore, Lida Mulberry Square
Lawson, Robert Watchwords of Liberty
Lawson, Capt. Ted. W. Thirty Seconds over Tokyo
Leaf, Munro Fun Book
Lippman, Walter U. S. Foreign Policy
Lofting, Hugh Dr. Doolittle's Circus
Loring, Emily When Hearts are Light Again
Loring, Emily Rainbow at Dusk
Martin, Dabris I Know Tunisia
Marquand, John P. So Little Time
Mason, Bernard S.
..... The Junior Book of Camping and Woodcraft
McSwigan, Marie Five on a Merry Go-Round
Means, Florence C. Teresita of the Valley

Medearis, Mary Big Doc's Girl
Merryman, Wm. N. Yankee Caballero
Morley, Christopher The Haunted Bookshop
Morley, Christopher Where the Blue Begins
Nash, Walter New Zealand
Nichols, Frances H. Through Hidden Shenshi
Norris, Kathleen Sisters
Oliver, Simeon Son of the Smoky Sea
Orfen, Sir Wm. The Outline of Art
Paine, Albert Bigelow Mark Twain
Platt, Rutherford This Green World
Reisberg, Lt. Harry E. I Dive for Treasure
Richmond, Bernice Winter Harbor
Rinehart, Mary Roberts The Door
Romulo, Carlos P. I Saw the Fall of the Philippines
Roper, Ella E. The Roper Book
Salten, Felix Bambi's Children
Sanders, Ruth Manning Mystery at Penmarth
Sasse, Alma Benecke Theatre Caravan
Schmidt, Sarah Lindsay The Hurricane Mystery
Schofield, Wm. J. Ashes in the Wilderness
Smith, Betty A Tree Grows in Brooklyn
Spellman, Francis J. The Road to Victory
Speare, Eva Clough Family of John Clough
Stinetone, Laura A. Children of North Africa
Taylor, Henry J. Men in Motion
Tharf, Louise Hill Down to the Sea
Turnbull, Agnes Sligh The Day Must Dawn
Ukers, W. H. All About Tea—Vols. I and II
Ukers, W. H. All About Coffee—Vols. I and II
Van Stockum, Hilda Andries
Warren, Geo. A. Banner Boy Scouts Snow Bound
Widdemer, Margaret Let Me Have Wings
Willkie, Wendell One World
Williams, Ben Ames Time of Peace

Wright, Harold Bell Calling of Dan Matthews
Yost, Edna
..... Modern Americans in Science and Invention
Wright, Louis B. and Sondenberg, H. T.
..... The American Tradition

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT OF VITAL STATISTICS

Marriages—1943

March 8—Arthur E. Dyer and Mrs. Edith M. Morrill at Alfred, Maine, by Frederick A. Hobbs, Justice of the Peace.

May 12—Donald G. Stanley and Mrs. Margaret R. Towne at Alfred, Maine, by Frederick A. Hobbs, Justice of the Peace.

June 1—Stanley Gordon Daney and Gloria Swinerton at Waterboro, Maine, by Austin I. Davis, Clergyman.

June 13—Emery Stanley Littlefield, Jr., and Elizabeth Louisa Ricker at Alfred, Maine, by Rev. Charles L. Stevens.

July 7—Leon Orvis Clough and Marie Lillian Shaw at Sanford, Maine, by Frank C. Creteau, Justice of the Peace.

July 28—Charles E. Pike and Thelma E. Johnstone at Sanford, Maine, by Rev. M. Gerry Plummer.

August 25—Michael Anthony Culcasi and Lois May

Chadbourne at Sanford, Maine, by Rev. Edward Nadeau.

August 10—Raymond Joseph Caron and Elizabeth Ruth Ashworth by Rev. Charles L. Stveens, at Alfred, Maine.

September 25—Ernest Franklin Brown and Nathalie E. Littlefield at Alfred, Maine, by Rev. Charles L. Stevens.

October 9—Louis James Hamel and Lorraine A. Wakefield at Waterboro, Maine, by Rev. Lester I. Holmes.

October 18—John Bernard Donovan, Jr., and Bessie Irene Hilli at Waterboro, Maine, by Rev. Lester I. Holmes.

November 2—John B. Gilpatrick and Mrs. Esther B. Springer at Berwick, Maine, by Rev. Ralph J. Barron.

December 24—Robert Williams and Ethel Virginia Bragg at Alfred, Maine, by Rev. Charles L. Stevens.

January 16—Ellsworth Harry Chadbourne and Blanch L. Fleming at Kennebunkport, Maine, by Rev. Charles Ellis.

January 16—Willis Alfred Lord and Barbara Harriet Roberts at North Alfred, Maine, by Rev. Lester R. Norton.

October 9—Norman John Nutter and Jean Eleanor Ricker at Sanford, Maine, by Frank C. Creteau, Justice of the Peace.

Births—1942

May 20—In Alfred, to Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe A. Hussey (Gladys A. Adams), a daughter, Mary Eleanor.

Births—1943

February 5—In Sanford, to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Duprey (Delta Libby), a son, Andrew Joel.

April 5—In Alfred, to Mr. and Mrs. George A. Day (Persis Knight), a son, Donald Leslie.

April 15—In Portland, to Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Leonard Moody (Mariam Sarah Bunker), a son, Richard Dodge.

June 6—In Alfred, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy N. Paul (Grace Belle Slager), a son, Don Robert.

June 22—In Sanford, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold F. Clough (Ethel B. Brown), a daughter, Dawn Elaine.

July 9—In Alfred, to Mr. and Mrs. George A. Herson (Arritta Cotton), a son, Leroy Francis.

July 17—In Sanford, to Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Williams Emery (Jean Lois Stiles), a daughter, Kay Stiles.

July 10—In Sanford, to Mr. and Mrs. Colby Ricker (Natalie Stone), a daughter, Carol Joyce.

July 29—In Alfred to Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe A. Hussey (Gladys Adams), a son, Robert Carl.

August 27—In Sanford to Mr. and Mrs. Willis Wilson (Virginia Collins), a son, Peter John.

September 19—In Sanford, to Mr. and Mrs. Alton A. DeWitt (June Blanchard), a daughter, Patricia Elaine.

October 2—In Sanford, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Finnemore (Lena Keaton), a son, Roger Alfred.

October 8—In Sanford, to Mr. and Mrs. Marland L. Chick (Jennie Michniewich), a son, Roland Marland.

October 14—In Sanford, to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Cram (Althea Clark), a daughter, Kathryn Carolyn.

Oct. 15—In Sanford, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Day (Irene Turgeon), a son, Dennis Raymond.

November 7—In Sanford, to Mr. and Mrs. Clifton W. Clark (Florence L. Jenness), a son, Thomas Edward.

January 31—In Sanford to Mr. and Mrs. Norman J. Nutter (Jean Ricker), a son, Mark Allen.

February 8—In Portland, to Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Warren, Jr. (Isabella Baldwin Garvin), a son, Craig Alan.

February 17—In Sanford, to Mr. and Mrs. John Gerry (Bertha Hutchins), a daughter, Sharon Elaine.

Deaths—Buried Here—1943

April 19—Edith Vernon Clough, 75 years, 1 month,

3 days. Cause of death, infection and absorption from large bed sores.

May 28—Cora Belle Hayes, 83 years, 7 months, 8 days. Cause of death, Angina Pectoris.

November 21—Walter Eugene Ricker, 71 years, 8 months. Cause of death, natural causes, probably acute heart failure.

November 26—Mabel Olive Chadbourne, 85 years, 2 days. Cause of death, Acute Myocarditis.

Deaths—Buried Here—1944

January 4—Arthur George Farnham, 86 years, 3 months, 11 days. Cause of death, Broncho Pneumonia.

January 15—Miriam Abbie Emery, 74 years, 8 months. Cause of death, Conjective heart failure.

Died Here, Buried Away—1943

October 2—Herman E. Roberts, 72 years, 9 months, 12 days. Cause of death, Acute Lukemia.

August 22—Warren Rowland Clough, 17 years, 11 months, 28 days. Cause of death, automobile accident.

October 10—Eugene J. Lortie, 56 years, 6 months, 10 days. Cause of death, Cerebral Hemorrhage.

October 28—George Howard Linscott, 76 years, 1 month, 23 days. Cause of death, Acute Myocarditis.

Died Away, Buried Here—1943

January 16—David Ira Dustin, 1 year, 6 months, 25 days. Cause of death, Intestinal Obstructions.

February 11—George Martin Bodycote, 69 years, 5 months, 5 days. Cause of death, Acute Dilalation Disease of Heart.

February 25—Myra M. Littlefield, 79 years, 4 months, 3 days. Cause of death, Coronary Thrombosis.

April 17—J. R. LaBeau, 62 years, 2 months, 2 days. Cause of death, Hypertensive Cardiovaseular.

April 4—George Libby, 62 years, 2 months, 2 days. Cause of death, Hypertension Cardiac Vascular.

January 3—Mary Hall Kimball, 84 years, 4 months, 11 days. Cause of death, Arterio Sclorosis.

July 6—Jennie Littlefield Russell, 77 years, 3 months, 17 days. Cause of death, Cerebral Embolism.

July 15—Hector Burton Scott, 74 years, 1 month, 17 days. Cause of death, Broncho Pneumonia.

July 17—Myron C. Hartin, 2 years, 10 months, 29 days. Cause of death, Meningitis.

July 30—Rev. Joseph Orieux, 66 years, 5 months, 24 days. Cause of death, Coronary Thombrosis, Hemmorhage.

Sept. 18—Benjamin Franklin Palmer, 82 years, 3 months. Cause of death, Cerebral Hemorrhage.

October 31—Katheryn Carolyn Cram, 17 days. Cause of headth, Hemorrhage of Brain.

November 11—Bertha Goding Kimball, 80 years, 11 months, 23 days. Cause of death, Cancer of the Uterus.

Died Away, Buried Here—1944

February 4—David Frank Atherton, 67 years, 11 months. Cause of death, Arteriosclerosis of the Abdominal Aorta.

February 7—Lillian Adelia Ricker, 82 years, 2 months, 21 days..

April 27—Baby Nutting. Stillborn.

March 24—Baby Goodwin. Stillborn.

Died Away, Buried Away—1943

March 7—Miranda Catherine Mellen, 79 years, 6 months, 17 days. Cause of death, Lobac Pneumonia.

March 3—Edward Gaulkroger Briggs, 64 years, 4 months, 3 days. Cause of death, Surgical Shock.

Died Away, Buried Away—1944

January 2—William Francis Frasier, 65 years, 2 months, 10 days. Cause of death, Chronic Myocarditis.

February 23—Eugene Walter Roberts, 70 years, 9 months, 11 days. Cause of death, natural causes, probable Caronary Heart Disease.

A copy of the records as returned to the Clerk at Alfred, Maine.

HARRY J. KELLEY,
Clerk.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Superintending School Committee and the Citizens of Alfred:

I herewith submit the annual school report.

According to the last school census there are in Alfred 112 boys and 130 girls between the ages of five and twenty-one. Of this number 127 are registered in the elementary grades as follows: Sub-Primary, 14; Grade 1, 15; Grade 2, 11; Grade 3, 24; Grade 4, 5; Grade 5, 15; Grade 6, 18 Grade 7, 17; Grade 8, 8. Registration statistics for the high school are shown in the report of the Principal.

Several changes in the teaching personnel have occurred. The vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Arvard V. Webster, principal of the high school was filled last September by the election of Rev. James A. Johnson of Kennebunkport. In the elementary grades Mrs. Hattie Clark was transferred from the primary school, grades 1 and 2, to grades 7 and 8 to fill a vacancy there caused by the resignation of Mrs. Arvard Webster. The lower grade vacancy thus caused was filled by the election of Mrs. Celia Day of Lyman.

In accordance with the vote taken at the last annual town meeting a new primary position has been created. A teacher was elected to teach the sub-primary pupils and to have supervision over all those in the primary department who are transported on buses and are dismissed from classes early. The addi-

tion of this teacher, Miss Lucile M. Jones of Freeport, has been a decided benefit to the system.

During the summer the roof on the smaller addition to the main building was shingled. During the very near future the interior of the entire building should be repainted. A substantial increase in the repairs appropriation will be asked for at the annual town meeting in March. If the required funds are available this matter will be attended to, depending, of course, on whether labor and material are obtainable. The matter of lighting should also receive attention. The fixtures, especially in the old part of the building, are inadequate and outmoded. Seats and desks should also be replaced with more modern equipment when time and opportunity permit.

The existing shortage of teachers is becoming more and more acute. Since Pearl Harbor 200,000 teachers have left the profession. The supply of new teachers to meet this shortage is also decreasing as shown by the fact that teacher college enrollments have dropped 60 per cent since 1940-1941. In our own state and in the rest of the country many schools were late in opening and many more have been forced to remain closed. During the past two years seventeen high schools and academies in Maine have been closed and consolidated with larger systems. Present indications point to further consolidation. Such action does have its benefits. It relieves the teacher shortage somewhat and at the same time affords the pupils a broader selection of courses. With the increasing need for more diversified secondary curricula it is becoming more and more evident that present needs cannot be met in a small school system. The small system trains a

relatively small group for future living—the small group that goes on to college. The future is looking toward the establishment of regional high schools accommodating 400 or 500 pupils each.

I should like to quote a paragraph printed in the Maine State School Bulletin by permission of the National Education Association: "Teaching is a great trusteeship—the debt eternal of each generation to the new life which must take its place. As surely as children grow, the schools must go on. Education cannot wait. The neglect of growing youth cannot be repaired. The war intensifies the need for good teachers. Victories in war and peace are won not by machines, but by men—men of purpose, skill, initiative, and courage. Men mine the ore, make the steel, fashion the weapons, fly the planes, negotiate the treaties, keep or break the peace, build the future."

I wish to express my appreciation to the citizens, the committee, and the teachers for their cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

MAYNARD E. WRIGHT,

Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE HIGH SCHOOL

To the Board of Education, the Superintendent of Schools, the Citizens of the Town of Alfred:

I submit the following report:

School opened on Monday, September 20th, with an enrollment of 28 students. One junior and one senior have since left, and one sophomore has entered, making a final enrollment of five seniors, six juniors, seven sophomores and nine freshmen.

The disadvantages of the present situation, including wartime regulations and the loss of students to the military and work programs, and the consequent loss of enthusiasms, are not too great to be overcome by the student and community cooperation.

I should like to express my appreciation to all, students, faculty members, and townspeople, who have cooperated in the program of this present year.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES A. JOHNSON,
Principal.

CLASSES OFFERED AT ALFRED HIGH SCHOOL
Fall of 1943 Springvale of 1944

Class	Enrollment				Instructor
	Seniors	Juniors	Sophomores	Freshman	
Algebra I	0	1	7	9	Mr. Johnson
Algebra II	1	1	0	0	Mr. Johnson
Bookkeeping (First half of year)	5	6	0	0	Mr. Johnson
Chemistry	5	6	0	0	Mr. Johnson
Consumer Education	0	0	6	7	Mr. Johnson
Economics & Law	3	4	0	0	Mrs. Marshall
English I	0	0	0	9	Mrs. Marshall
English II	0	0	6	0	Mrs. Marshall
English III & IV	5	6	0	0	Mrs. Marshall
History I & II	0	0	7	9	Mr. Johnson
Latin I	0	0	0	3	Mrs. Marshall
Morse Code	1	1	0	4	Mr. Johnson
Music	2	4	4	8	Mrs. Dolley
Salesmanship (Second half of year)	5	5	0	0	Mr. Johnson
Spanish	3	2	0	0	Mrs. Marshall
Physical Fitness	0	0	0	0	Mr. Johnson & Mrs. Marshall

SCHOOL MUSIC REPORT

To the Superintendent of Schools and School Board, Alfred:

I herewith present my annual report on music in the schools.

For the first time we have the sub-primary grade in a room by itself under the efficient direction of Miss Jones, a new teacher this year. This gives Mrs. Day (a former substitute teacher whom we cordially welcome back) an opportunity in Grades 1 and 2 to do more technical work than was possible with the previous arrangement. The three grades sing most of their rote songs together.

Grades 3 and 4 or practically all fourth grade work in Mrs. Beatrice Clark's room where very satisfactory results are achieved.

In grades 5 and 6 we have new text books, "Blending Voices" of the recently published "World of Music" series. These, mostly two-part songs, are correlated with the reading and history lessons of these grades and offer some unusually good music which, with Mrs. Gould's instruction will be much enjoyed. Tests will be given in all the grades next week.

The Junior High class has made splendid progress under Mrs. Clark's direction in their new song collection, "G Clef Chorus Book," all part singing.

Both Senior and Junior High are represented in the Congregational Church Choir under the present direc-

tion of Miss Lucia Wright, who is much interested in the build-up of the chorus.

While music study has been interrupted by unavoidable breaks in the sessions, we have some very good voices and anticipate a good program for graduation exercises.

All the schools were represented in a chorus of patriotic songs at the town's service flag dedication last fall.

Mr. Johnson, our new principal, is interested in music and kindly gave us the use of his fine Victrola and records for our Christmas program

We are greatly indebted to Mrs. Gould for her assistance as accompanist in the High School in addition to her own class work; also to Mrs. Clark in the Junior High.

Music is being stressed in the Army program as a source of rest and relaxation from the strenuous life of the service. Band units are being organized at different camps; also classes in chrous directing, glee clubs, quartet singing, etc., for as one writer says, "The Army believes that a singing soldier is a fighting soldier."

I believe every good American is engaged directly or indirectly in this fight for the "Four Freedoms," and that music in every form will help our morale and make us better "soldiers."

I wish to express my appreciation to our Superintendent, School Board, teachers, and all who have

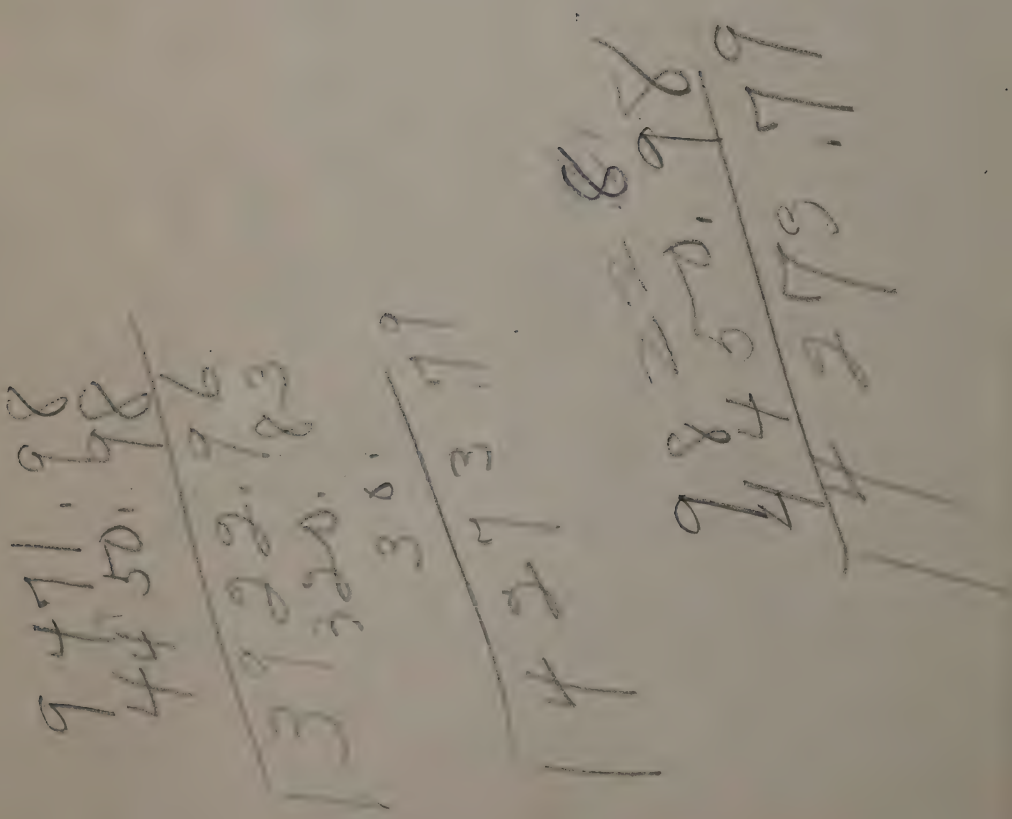
given their support and cooperation to make this a successful year in my work.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN M. DOLLEY,

Supervisor of Music.

Limerick, Maine
February 19, 1944



FINANCIAL STATEMENT
ALFRED SCHOOL ACCOUNT

RESOURCES

Balance, 1943	$ 278.93	
Appropriation, 1943	11,800.00	
State School Fund	1,826.22	
Tuition, Town of Lyman	75.00	
Adjustment, B. & M. Railroad	2.03	
Refund, American Education Press	8.00	
Total		$ 13,990.18

EXPENDITURES

	Elementary	Secondary	
Teachers	$4,589.47	$3,067.42	
Fuel	374.15	348.94	
Janitors	635.00	395.76	
Conveyance	3,053.61		
Text Books	280.91	187.09	
Supplies	182.65	239.90	
	$9,115.79	$4,239.11	
Total			$ 13,354.90
Balance, 1944			635.28
			$ 13,990.18

EXPENDITURES ITEMIZED

Teachers

Josephine D. Gould	$ 920.49		
Beatrice L. Clark	945.49		
Hattie E. Clark	945.49		
Madeline F. Webster	404.40		
Helen M. Carpenter	4.60		
Celia Day	565.00		
Alice Morey	15.00		
Lucile M. Jones	565.00		
Helen M. Dolley	224.00	60.00	
Arvard V. Webster		862.47	
Dorothy L. Marshall		1,126.08	
James A. Johnson		1,018.87	
	$4,589.47	$3,067.42	
Total			$7,656.89

Fuel

H. Alberta Roberts	$ 344.15	$ 324.94	
Shepard & Morse Lumber Co.	18.00	12.00	
Robert T. Hardy	12.00	12.00	
	$ 374.15	$ 348.94	
Total			$ 723.09

Janitors

Walter Clark	$ 225.00	$ 175.00	
William R. Hayes	385.00	214.60	
Eleanor Johnson	10.00	2.08	
Bobbie Johnson	10.00	2.43	

George Webber	5.00	1.65	
	$ 635.00	$ 395.76	
Total			$1,030.76

Conveyance

Roscoe Hussey	$1,170.00		
Sumner Ricker	810.00		
Thomas Scott	850.00		
Harold Hall	162.00		
Leavitt Ins. Agency	61.61		
Total			$3,053.61

Text Books

Cressey & Allen	$ 4.20		
American Ed. Press, Inc.	32.00		
Scott, Foresman & Co.	25.87		
The Macmillan Co.	20.39		
Allyn & Bacon	11.52	3.84	
American Book Co.	91.46	33.52	
Silver Burdett Co.	16.99	17.48	
Ginn & Co.	46.89	59.01	
Theodore Presser Co.	14.94		
World Book Co.	16.95		
The John C. Winston Co.		7.77	
Edward E. Babb & Co.		8.44	
American Technical Society		9.62	
National Geog. Society		3.50	
Fred L. Tower Co.		14.00	
The Grolier Society, Inc.		4.04	
Boston Herald Trav. Co.		4.90	
News Map of the Week		12.75	
Consumers Union of U. S., Inc.		3.50	

Popular Mechanics		2.50	
Sam Fox Pub. Co.		2.22	
	$ 280.91	$ 187.09	
Total			$ 468.00

Supplies

Maine Public Health Assn.	$.55		
Buxton Milling Co.	2.92		
Gledhill Bros., Inc.	34.78		
Atlantic Express	.65		
Ernest G. Knights	1.29	1.00	
Maynard E. Wright	3.55	2.00	
Berry Paper Co.	12.00	6.41	
Cascade Paper Co.	7.00	3.56	
C. B. Dolge Co.	11.00	5.75	
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	61.00	24.83	
Central Maine Power Co.	16.15	16.00	
J. L. Hammett Co.	1.36	12.72	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	23.70	19.50	
Ginn & Co.	2.84	3.28	
John A. Roberts	3.86	2.00	
James A. Johnson		2.66	
Kinney & Frost		5.50	
International Com. of Y. M. C. A.		2.00	
F. G. Congdon		.82	
Cambosco Scientific Co.		131.87	
	$ 182.65	$ 239.90	
Total			$ 422.55

REPAIRS ACCOUNT

RESOURCES

Balance, 1943	$ 53.06	
Appropriation	515.00	
Total		$ ~~586.06~~ 568.06

EXPENDITURES

Perley A. Wallace	$ 4.00		
Harris A. Smart	68.88		
Percy H. Smith	54.88		
Shepard & Morse Lumber Co.	1.50		
Forrest A. Clark	35.80	24.25	
John A. Roberts	9.34	9.87	
M. F. Bragdon Paint Co.	15.00	9.00	
S. B. Emery Co.		18.75	
Incidental Accounts—Ins.	166.79	150.00	
	$ 356.19	$ 211.87	
Total			$ 568.06

HONOR ROLL



Allen, Clifford H.
Allen, Ralph W.

Brock, Herbert N.
Brock, William E.
Burbank, Caleb U., Jr.

Carpenter, Maurice H.
Carpenter, Oscar H.

Day, Arnold E.
Daney, Milton L.
Donovan, John B., Jr.
Drowns, Charles E.
Dube, Francis J.
Dube, Louis M.

Eagle, Carll E.
Emery, Philip W.
Evans, Ralph O.

Farrar, William J.
Ford, Frank F., Jr.
Fournier, Napoleon J.

*Gay, Harold
Garvin, Eugene E.
Garvin, Richard R.
Garvin, Thomas T.
Gile, Leland H., Jr.
Gordon, Lewis F., Jr.

Hamel, James L.
Hardy, Charles C.
Hersom, Ernest W.
Hobbs, Frederick A. 2nd
Hobbs, Frederick R.
*Horne, Carl D.
Hussey, Wayne T.

Johnson, Albert E.
Johnson, Richard H.
Johnston, Earl J.

Kallis, Bertram L.
Kallis, Leonard W.
Kimball, Donald K.

Leighton, Donald J.
Leighton, Mary E.
Leighton, Lesley C.
Leighton, J. Wallace
Lovejoy, Richard L.

Maasen, John H., Jr.
Marshall, Joel Y.
Marshall, Sumner B., Jr.
Martel, Raymond J.
Matheson, John N.
Merrill, Althea
Merrill, Charles M.
Merrill, Marjorie
Morey, Clayton R.
Morrill, Austin P.
Morrill, Roger L.
Morse, Harold A., Jr.

Poole, Ernest B.
Poole, Ralph M., Jr.

Richards, Carl E.
Ricker, Colby N.
Ridley, Russell J.
Roberts, George L., Jr.
Roberts, Wallace E.

Sawyer, Bernard C.
Smilie, Elwyn J.
Smilie, Everett B.
Smilie, Kendall R.
Spence, R. Gordon, Jr.
Stevens, Carroll F., Jr.
Stone, Willard B.

Tebbetts, Fred G.
Thompson, Irving F.
Thompson, Donald F.
Turner, Gordon A.

Wallingford, Kenneth C.
Weymouth, Milton W., Jr.
Wilson, Douglas E.

Yates, Irving, Jr.
Yates, Raymond S.
Yates, Robert E.

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Homer E. Crooker Agency

General Insurance

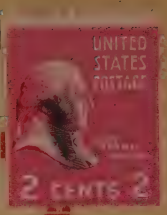
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of the

Town of Alfred, Maine



For the Year Ending
FEBRUARY 10, 1945

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1945

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

FINANCIAL CONDITION

and the

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

of the

Town of ALFRED, MAINE

TOGETHER WITH THE REPORTS OF

Selectmen, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Superintendent of Schools, High School Principal, Supervisor of Music, Alfred Fire Department, Directors and Librarian of Parsons Memorial Library

For the Year Ending February 10,

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TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk

DUDLEY T. FORREST

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

PERCY F. MORRILL JOHN E. ROBERTS
FREDERICK H. JONES

Superintending School Committee

GEORGE L. ROBERTS ELIZABETH A. BEALS
EMERY S. LITTLEFIELD, JR.

Superintendent of Schools

MAYARD E. WRIGHT

Treasurer

JAMES W. PLUMMER

Road Commissioners

THOMAS J. SCOTT LELAND H. GILE

Tax Collector

MARCIA E. SHAW

Health Officer and School Nurse

KATHRYN S. RICHARDS, R. N.

Constable

DUDLEY T. FORREST

Directors Parsons Memorial Library

CHARLES L. STEVENS HERBERT B. FERNALD
HATTIE E. CLARK MARION E. HEWEY
MARY C. EMERSON DAVID H. WILSON

REPORT OF SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

For the Municipal Year Ending February 10, 1945

Appropriated to Defray Town Expenses, State and County Taxes, Etc.

Alfred Fire Department	$ 500.00
Alfred Fire Department, new hose	150.00
Alfred Water Company, hydrant rental	1,600.00
Care of Fountain and Park	20.00
Civilian Defense	150.00
Discounts and Abatements	300.00
Electric Street Lights	600.00
Highways and Bridges	1,000.00
Incidentals	2,500.00
Insurance on town property (not including school property)	582.35
Maintenance of Third Class Roads	472.00
Maintenance of State Aid Highways	759.00
Opening Roads in Winter	1,200.00
Parsons Memorial Library	350.00
Public Health Nurse	25.00
Public Health Officer	25.00
School Nurse	25.00
Repairs, Equipment and Insurance of Schools	1,000.00
Support of Poor	200.00
Support of Schools	12,300.00

Veterans' Aid Account	300.00	
Total Appropriation	$24,058.35	
State Tax	4,278.25	
County Tax	825.78	
Overlay	1,283.30	
Total to be Assessed		$30,445.68
Excise Tax for 1943	$ 1,467.59	
211 Polls for 1944	633.00	
		2,100.59
To be Assessed by Property Tax		$28,345.09

Valuation

Real Estate, Resident	$306,336.00
Real Estate, Non-Resident	75,174.00
Personal Estate, Resident	43,892.50
Personal Estate, Non-Resident	60,763.95
Total Valuation	$486,166.45

Tax Rate .060

RECOMMENDATIONS BY BUDGET COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 1945

Alfred Fire Department	$ 500.00
Alfred Fire Department, new hose	150.00
Alfred Water Company, hydrant rental	1,600.00
Care of Fountain and Park	25.00

Discounts and Abatements	300.00
Electric Street Lights	600.00
Highways and Bridges	1,500.00
Incidental Expenses	2,500.00
Insurance	600.00
State Aid Highways	759.00
Third Class Road	472.00
Opening Roads in Winter	3,000.00
Parsons Memorial Library	350.00
Public Health Nurse	25.00
Public Health Officer	25.00
School Nurse	25.00
Repairs, Equipment and Insurance of Schools (including outside painting)	2,000.00
Work to be done in School Basement	500.00
Support of Schools, including salaries	13,000.00
Support of Poor	200.00
War Veterans' Aid Account	300.00
Civilian Defense	150.00
Cutting Bushes	400.00
	$28,981.00

INCIDENTAL EXPENSES

Appropriated $2,500.00

Paid: 1943

Mar. 3	Central Maine Power Co., light for Town Hall	$ 1.00
Mar. 3	John A. Roberts, supplies for Town Hall	1.24
Mar. 17	Averill Press, ballots	16.50

Mar. 17	Sanford Water District, thawing water pipes in Town Hall	8.00
Mar. 17	John G. Smith, discharging liens	1.02
Mar. 17	New England Telephone Co.	.25
Mar. 17	Leslie Ward, fighting fire, 1943	2.00
Mar. 17	Percy F. Morrill, postage for Town Reports	2.00
Apr. 1	Lincoln Press, printing Town Reports	148.00
Apr. 1	Miriam B. Moody, clerical work	5.00
Apr. 1	Homer E. Crooker, Constable's Bond	10.00
Apr. 1	Thomas Scott, salary as fire warden	25.00
Apr. 1	Central Maine Power Co., light for Town Hall	1.00
Apr. 1	Dudley Forrest, destroying dogs	6.00
Apr. 1	New England Telephone Co.	.20
Apr. 1	Marks Printing House, supplies	28.00
Apr. 1	Percy F. Morrill, stamps	1.50
Apr. 1	Marks Printing House, supplies	.60
Apr. 1	John A. Roberts, kerosene for Town Hall	.30
Apr. 1	Carl Hanson, teller	3.00
Apr. 1	Margaret Hardy, teller	3.00
Apr. 1	Mabel B. Jones, teller	3.00
Apr. 8	Forrest Clark, labor at Town Hall	9.43
Apr. 21	Kenneth Yates, shovelling	

	hydrants	4.80
May 6	George Crediford, work on Town Dump	14.00
May 6	Leavitt Insurance Agency, Treasurer's Bond	10.00
June 2	H. J. Kelley, liens	34.00
June 2	H. J. Kelley, postage	7.20
June 2	Elsie A. Davis, clerical work	42.00
June 23	Frank C. Lander, abstracts	26.25
June 23	George Crediford, work on Town Dump	13.50
June 23	Averill Press, Poll Tax Bills	7.40
June 23	Maine Municipal Association, membership fee	35.00
June 23	Walter Davis, decorating soldiers' graves	8.00
June 23	Central Maine Power Co., light for Town Hall	2.00
June 23	Millard J. Hughey, insurance	45.44
June 23	John B. Nutter, insurance	57.00
July 7	Leavitt Insurance Agency, Collector's Bond	10.00
July 7	John A. Roberts, merchandise for Town Hall	4.75
July 7	Percy Morrill, election clerk	5.00
July 7	Frederick Jones, election clerk	5.00
July 7	John E. Roberts, election clerk	5.00
July 7	Margaret Hardy, election clerk	5.00
July 7	Alice Emery, election clerk	5.00
July 7	Mary C. Kelley, election clerk	5.00
July 7	Dudley Forrest, election clerk	5.00
July 7	Central Maine Power Co.,	

	light for Town Hall	3.00
July 7	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	.50
July 7	Averill Press, tax bills and envelopes	9.00
July 7	Marks Printing House, supplies	1.67
July 7	Eunice Johnson, part of salary as collector of excises	15.00
July 7	Register of Deeds, recording liens	17.20
July 7	Marcia E. Shaw, copying assessors' books	50.00
July 21	Marks Printing House, supplies	11.17
July 21	George Crediford, work on Town Dump	9.00
Aug. 2	John G. Smith, tax liens	17.20
Aug. 4	Conrad Roux, fighting fire	1.75
Aug. 4	Robert Morey, fighting fire	3.25
Aug. 4	George Webber, fighting fire	1.75
Aug. 4	Dudley Forrest, destroying dog	2.00
Aug. 4	Dudley Forrest, two trips to Roy Paul's	4.00
Aug. 4	Frederick H. Jones, part of salary as Selectman	50.00
Aug. 18	Marian K. Moulton, services at the request of the County Nurse	10.95
Aug. 18	Marcia E. Shaw, part of salary as Collector	75.00
Aug. 18	Marcia E. Shaw, postage	16.00
Sept. 1	George Crediford, work on Town Dump	19.00
Sept. 1	Percy F. Morrill, part of salary as Selectman	75.00

Sept. 22	Kenneth Yates, wood for Town Hall	4.50
Sept. 22	Marks Printing House, supplies	8.00
Sept. 22	Percy F. Morrill, ballot clerk	5.00
Sept. 22	Fredercik Jones, ballot clerk	5.00
Sept. 22	John E. Roberts, ballot clerk	5.00
Sept. 22	Mary C. Kelley, ballot clerk	5.00
Sept. 22	Alice Emery, ballot clerk	5.00
Sept. 22	Margaret Hardy, ballot clerk	5.00
Sept. 22	Dudley Forrest, ballot clerk	5.00
Sept. 22	Lincoln Press, printing check lists	24.00
Sept. 22	State Treasurer, auditing books	81.84
Oct. 6	Central Maine Power Co., light for Town Hall	1.00
Oct. 6	George Crediford, work on Town Dump	20.00
Oct. 6	Marks Printing House, supplies	1.50
Oct. 6	Marks Printing House, supplies for Town Clerk	1.50
Oct. 6	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	.45
Aug. 4	Federal Land Bank refund a/c, Conrad Roux	35.36
Aug. 4	Federal Land Bank refund a/c, Chesley Flanders	6.10
Nov. 4	George Crediford, work on Town Dump	14.00
Nov. 4	Central Maine Power Co., light for Town Hall	1.00
Nov. 18	John E. Roberts, election clerk	5.00
Nov. 18	Frederick H. Jones, election clerk	5.00

Nov. 18	Percy F. Morrill, election clerk	5.00
Nov. 18	Margaret Hardy, election clerk	5.00
Nov. 18	Alice Emery, election clerk	5.00
Nov. 18	Mary C. Kelley, election clerk	5.00
Dec. 1	Dudley Forrest, election clerk	5.00
Dec. 1	George Crediford, work on Town Dump	10.00
Dec. 23	Roscoe Butler, sealer of weights and measures	5.00
Dec. 23	Leland Gile, wood for Town Hall	10.00
Dec. 23	Fred L. Tower Co., Maine Register	7.00
Dec. 23	Eunice Johnson, part pay as collector of excises	23.00
Paid: 1945		
Jan. 6	George Crediford, work on Town Dump	9.00
Jan. 6	Central Maine Power Co., light for Town Hall	2.00
Jan. 6	Laurence Morrill, shovelling hydrants	4.00
Jan. 19	Paid State Dog Deficiency, 1943	20.90
Jan. 19	Laurence Morrill, shovelling hydrants	4.00
Jan. 19	Service charge on checks	.25
Jan. 19	Dudley Forrest, destroying dog	2.00
Jan. 19	Elmer Goodrich, Jr., shovelling hydrants	6.00
Feb. 2	Elmer Goodrich, Jr., shovel-	

	ling hydrants	3.00
Feb. 2	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	.45
Feb. 2	Central Maine Power Co., light for Town Hall	1.00
Feb. 2	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies	9.72
Feb. 10	J. W. Mack, work on Town House grounds	6.50
Feb. 10	J. W. Plummer, salary as Town Treasurer	150.00
Feb. 10	J. W. Plummer, postage and telephone	20.52
Feb. 10	Frederick Jones, balance of salary as Selectman	100.00
Feb. 10	Percy F. Morrill, balance of salary as Selectman	125.00
Feb. 10	John E. Roberts, salary as Selectman	175.00
Feb. 10	Dudley Forrest, salary as Constable	18.00
Feb. 10	Dudley Forrest, salary as Town Clerk	50.00
Feb. 10	George L. Roberts, salary as School Committee Member	10.00
Feb. 10	Elizabeth Beals, salary as School Committee Member	10.00
Feb. 10	Emery S. Littlefield, Jr., salary as School Committee Member	10.00
Feb. 10	Thomas Scott, salary as Fire Chief	25.00
Feb. 10	Miriam B. Moody, clerical work	8.00
Feb. 10	Buxton Milling Co., flags for soldiers' graves	7.20
Feb. 10	Buxton Milling Co., supplies	

	for Town House	1.25	
Feb. 10	Buxton Milling Co., merchandise	3.00	
Feb. 10	Frederick A. Hobbs, Esquire, services, advice and disbursements	162.89	
Feb. 10	Elmer Goodrich, Jr., shovelling hydrants	3.00	
Feb. 10	Dudley Forrest, postage	13.90	
Feb. 10	Dudley Forrest, vital statistics	15.05	
Feb. 10	Mary C. Kelley, salary for balance of year as collector of excises	25.00	
Feb. 10	Marcia E. Shaw, balance of salary as collector	65.16	
Feb. 10	Transferred to School Account to pay salary of Superintendent of Schools	320.83	
Transferred for school insurance			204.00
White Mountain National Forest Reserve			27.73
C. H. Cole & Sons, insurance dividend			19.00
Samuel Bergslien in payment of Robbins garage building			36.00
State of Maine Bank stock tax			24.10
Homer E. Crooker, advertisement in 1944 Town Report			15.00
C. H. Cole & Sons, insurance refund			15.63
Rental of Town Hall			25.00
State of Maine, dog license refund			23.55
State of Maine Railroad Telegraph Tax			67.82
Unexpended balance		221.14	
		$2,957.83	$2,957.83

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Appropriated $1,000.00

LELAND GILE

1944			
Mar.	3	Payroll No. 1 $	61.30
Apr.	1	Payroll No. 2	60.65
Apr.	8	Payroll No. 4	41.45
Apr.	21	Payroll No. 5	70.55
June	23	Payroll No. 8	81.00
June	23	Payroll No. 6	38.80
Aug.	18	Payroll	32.40
Sept.	1	Payroll No. 9	17.40
Sept.	1	Payroll No. 10	122.20
Oct.	6	Payroll No. 11	285.10
Oct.	6	Payroll No. 12	53.55
Dec.	1	Town Roads, washouts	46.15
		Total $	910.55

THOMAS SCOTT

Aug.	4	Labor with grader $	59.50
Aug.	4	Labor with truck	30.00
Aug.	4	20 Loads of gravel	2.00
Aug.	4	Bancroft & Martin, for culverts	91.25
Dec.	1	Payroll	19.50
Dec.	1	Payroll	84.00
Dec.	1	Payroll	16.25
Dec.	1	Payroll	12.25
		Total $	314.75
Taken from Overlay			225.30
			$1,225.30 $1,225.30

OPENING ROADS IN WINTER

Appropriated $1,200.00

LELAND GILE

1944			
Apr.	1	Payroll No. 3	$ 59.55
June	23	Payroll No. 7, removing snow fence	32.10
Nov.	4	W. H. Shurtleff Co., salt	18.50
Dec.	1	Payroll, erecting snow fence	63.00
Dec.	23	Payroll, work on stock pile	175.20
Dec.	23	Payroll, snow removal	56.55
1945			
Jan.	6	Payroll	124.15
Jan.	6	Payroll	94.10
Jan.	6	Payroll	89.55
Jan.	19	Payroll No. 6	337.40
Jan.	19	Payroll No. 7	66.00
Feb.	2	Payroll	179.88
Feb.	2	Payroll	350.13
Feb.	2	One-half storage on tractor	60.00
Feb.	10	Payroll	250.22
	Total		$1,956.33

THOMAS SCOTT

1944			
Mar.	3	J. Plummer, gas	$ 14.86
Apr.	21	Payroll No. 1	106.85
Apr.	21	Payroll No. 2	52.80
Apr.	21	Payroll No. 4, removing snow fence	30.25
Nov.	4	W. H. Shurtleff Co., salt	18.50
Dec.	1	Payroll, erecting snow fence	24.00

1945				
Jan.	6	Payroll	39.50	
Jan.	6	Payroll	197.94	
Jan.	6	E. C. Ricker & Sons, gas	4.00	
Jan.	19	Bracy's Garage, gas	4.65	
Jan.	19	Plummer's Garage, gas	9.20	
Feb.	2	T. Scott, gas, oil, labor on tractor	118.90	
Feb.	2	One-half storage on tractor	60.00	
Feb.	2	Payroll	83.70	
Feb.	2	Payroll	84.65	
Feb.	2	Payroll	113.50	
Feb.	2	Payroll	138.00	
Feb.	2	George Gracy, gas	4.80	
Feb.	10	Storage on tractor	60.00	
Feb.	10	George Bracy, gas	5.85	
		Total	$1,171.95	
State of Maine refund (snow removal)				278.37
Leland Gile, refund a/c of overpayment on tractor storage				60.00
Overdrawn				1,589.91
			$3,128.28	$3,128.28

MAINTENANCE OF THIRD CLASS ROADS

Appropriated				$ 472.00
1944				
June	23	Leland Gile, Payroll No. 9	$ 28.20	
Dec.	1	Leland Gile, Payroll	92.00	
Unexpended balance			351.80	
			$ 472.00	$ 472.00

MAINTENANCE OF STATE AID HIGHWAY

Appropriated $ 759.00

1944

Dec. 1 State Highway Commission $ 759.00

CUTTING BUSHES

No Appropriation.

SUPPORT OF POOR

Appropriated $ 200.00

Unexpended balance $ 200.00

NOTE: Due Town from State for medical services paid in 1942 and for burial expense for Alonzo Ross:

Henrietta Goodall Hospital	$ 26.50
Dr. A. Davis	15.00
L. H. Carll	128.00

Due Town from State on Mabel Bracy's Account:

Paid Out	291.90

WAR VETERANS' AID ACCOUNT

Appropriated			$ 300.00
1944			
Mar. 17	Kenneth Yates, wood for C. Bracy	$ 17.00	
Apr. 8	Percy F. Morrill, wood for C. Bracy	6.00	
June 23	Shepard & Morse, wood for C. Bracy	3.25	
Dec. 23	Robert Hardy, wood for C. Bracy	142.00	
1945			
Feb. 10	Robert Hardy, load of butts	8.00	
Unexpended balance		123.75	
		$ 300.00	$ 300.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriated			$ 500.00
1944			
Nov. 18	Paid Appropriation	$ 500.00	

ALFRED WATER COMPANY HYDRANT RENTAL

Appropriated			$1,600.00
1944			
July 21	Paid Alfred Water Co.	$ 800.00	
Sept. 1	Paid Alfred Water Co.	800.00	
		$1,600.00	$1,600.00

PURCHASE OF FIRE HOSE

Appropriated				$ 150.00
1944				
Nov. 4	Eastern Fire Equipment Inc.	$ 194.59		
Nov. 4	Eastern Fire Equipment Inc.	4.30		
To be Refunded by Fire Department				48.89
		$ 198.89	$	198.89

CIVILIAN DEFENSE

Appropriated			$ 150.00
1944			
Oct. 6	Sanford Pharmacy, supplies	$ 6.67	
Unexpended balance		143.33	
		$ 150.00	$ 150.00

INSURANCE ON TOWN PROPERTY

Appropriated			$ 582.35
1944			
*Apr. 1	Homer E. Crooker, insurance	$ 242.15	
**July 21	Homer E. Crooker, insurance	382.37	

†July 21	Homer E. Crooker, insurance	41.19	
††July 21	Homer E. Crooker, insurance	51.75	
‡July 21	Homer E. Crooker, insurance	66.10	
‡‡Dec. 23	Homer E. Crooker, insurance	7.14	
Transferred from School Account to cover school property			204.00
Taken from Overlay			4.35
		$ 790.70	$ 790.70

*Includes:
- $ 24.65 Auto Liability Federal Knight Fire Truck
- 25.00 Fire and Theft Portable Fire Fighting Apparatus
- 160.00 Workmen's Compensation
- 32.50 Coverage for Firemen

$ 242.15

**Includes:
- $ 204.00 School Department
- 72.49 Library
- 105.88 Balance of Town Property

$ 382.37

†Includes:
- $ 24.65 Auto Liability International Fire Truck
- 7.50 Auto Fire International Fire Truck
- 9.04 Fire to cover property under Tax Liens

$ 41.19

††Includes: $ 51.75 Auto Fire, Tractor, Snow Plow
‡Includes: $ 66.10 Workmen's Compensation
‡‡Includes: $ 7.14 Auto Liability, Tractor, Snow Plow (4 months)

ELECTRIC STREET LIGHTS

Appropriated		$ 600.00
Paid Central Maine Power Co.	$ 573.27	
Unexpended balance	26.73	
	$ 600.00	$ 600.00

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Appropriated	$ 25.00	
1944 Oct. 20 Paid York County Health Nurse	$ 25.00	

PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICER

Appropriated		$ 25.00
1945 Feb. 10 Kathryn Richards, salary	$ 25.00	

SCHOOL NURSE

Appropriated	$ 25.00	
1945 Feb. 10 Kathryn Richards, salary	$ 25.00	

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Appropriated		$ 350.00
1945 Feb. 10 Paid Appropriation	$ 350.00	

CARE OF FOUNTAIN AND PARK

Appropriated				$ 20.00
1944				
July 7	Robert Knight, cleaning park	$	1.00	
July 7	Samuel Chadbourne, clean-park		1.00	
July 7	Wayne Morrill, cleaning park		1.00	
1945				
Feb. 10	W .J. Mack, labor in park		25.00	
Taken from Overlay				8.00
		$	28.00	$ 28.00

LOAN IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES

1944	Borrowed from Sanford Institution for Savings		$3,000.00
Aug. 4	Paid above note	$3,000.00	

STATE TAX

1944 State Tax		$4,278.25
1944 Sept. 22	Paid State Treasurer	$4,278.25

COUNTY TAX

1944 County Tax		$ 825.78
1944 Sept. 1	Paid County Treasurer	$ 825.78

WAR BOND ACCOUNT

Taken from surplus by vote of Town		$ 500.00
1944 Dec. 1 Paid for War Bond	$ 500.00	

SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS

Unexpended balance Feb. 11, 1944		$ 635.28
Appropriated for Support of Schools		12,300.00
Appropriated for Repairs, Equipment and Insurance of Schools		1,000.00
Tuition from Town of Lyman		22.00
Received from State School Fund		2,197.99
Tuition from Ralph W. Littlefield		15.00
Transferred from Incidental Account to pay Superintendent's salary		320.83
Refund from S. J. Nowell		13.65
Refund from Boston Advertiser		4.29
Paid out for School Payrolls 1 to 27 inclusive, to and including February 10, 1945	15,688.96	
Transferred to Incidental Account to cover insurance paid on school property	204.00	
Unexpended balance	616.08	
	$16,509.04	$16,509.04

INTEREST ON LOANS IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES

1944 Aug. 18 Paid Sanford Institution for Savings, interest on note	$ 11.50	
Taken from Overlay		$ 11.50
(No Appropriation)		

State of Maine
STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT
AUGUSTA, MAINE

August 24, 1944

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Alfred:

In accordance with the request of your municipal officers, this department, represented by M. W. Bragdon and L. D. Daniels, has completed an examination of the accounts of your town officials for the municipal year ended February 11, 1944.

In our opinion, based upon such examination, the accompanying exhibits and schedules fairly present the financial condition of your municipality as of that date, and summarize its fiscal transactions during the municipal year then ended.

The data obtained by us is summarized in the following:

Comments
Exhibit A Balance Sheet
Exhibit B Cash Receipts and Disbursements
Exhibit C 1943 Valuation, Assessment and Collection
Exhibit D Statement of Departmental Operating Accounts
Exhibit E Analysis of Change from Net Deficit to Net Surplus
Schedule 1 Reconciliation of Treasurer's Cash Balance
Schedule 2 Special Funds
Schedule 3 Summary of Taxes
Schedule 4 Summary of Tax Liens with Supporting Detail
Schedule 5 Tax Deeds
Schedule 6 Accounts Receivable

Respectfully submitted,
STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT

HAROLD E. CRAWFORD, Municipal Auditor

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1934
Held by Town

Fenwick, John	$ 67.94	
		$ 67.94

*No interest included after June 1935.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1936
Held by Town

Berg, Arthur K. Estate	$ 10.94	
Boston, Herman	.94	
Robbins, John	9.31	
		$ 21.19

*No interest included after March 1937.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1937
Held by Town

Berg, Arthur K. Estate	$ 10.49	
Robbins, John	8.92	
		$ 19.41

*No interest included after February 1938.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1938
Held by Town

Nowell, Ralph E.	$ 5.90
Robbins, John	10.20

Thyng, Guy	3.00	
		$ 19.10

*No interest included after March 1939.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1939
Held by Town

Boston, Herman	$ 14.54	
Chadbourne, Herbert	41.24	
Cluff, Charles	66.14	
McDonald, Idella	4.14	
Robbins, John	9.32	
		$ 135.38

*No interest included after March 1940.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1940
Held by Town

Boston, Herman E.	$ 17.40	
Chadbourne, Herbert N.	65.56	
Cluff, Charles H. Estate	69.55	
Flanders, Cheslie	11.60	
Nowell, Ralph E.	5.80	
Robbins, John	9.84	
		$ 179.75

*No interest included after April 1941.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1941
Held by Town

Boston, Herman	$ 17.05	

Chadbourne, Herbert N.	56.80
Cluff, Charles H. Estate	68.15
Crane, Mrs. Charles	122.28
Drown, Orrin Heirs	6.83
Fenwick, John	28.40
Nowell, Ralph E.	5.69
Robbins, John	9.66
	$ 314.86

*No interest included after March 1942.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1942

Chadbourne, Herbert N.	$ 71.06
Cluff, Charles H. Estate	85.27
Crane, Mrs. Charles	152.78
Dubois, Alice	42.63
Fenwick, John	35.53
Grover, Carroll and Jean	21.30
Hall, Harold	42.60
Hussey, Charles H.	7.11
McDonald, Idella	5.30
Nowell, Ralph E.	7.05
Robbins, John	12.11
Smith, George H. Heirs	21.23
	$ 503.97

*No interest included after May 1943.

These tax liens are resources held by the Town and not shown in the Treasurer's Report.

DISCOUNTS AND ABATEMENTS

Appropriated		$ 300.00
Discounts on 1944 Taxes	$ 274.54	
Abatements:		
Mrs. Mabel Ricker, no piano	3.06	
Walter Ricker, no piano, 1942	3.06	
Elwin Johnson, no frigidaire	3.00	
Estate of Arthur Farnham, over assessed	9.00	
Shell Oil Co., no gas tank	1.50	
Roland L. Patry, did not own land	32.22	
Socony Oil Co., no pumps or tanks	18.00	
Mark Wormwood, error in taxes, 1943	3.20	
Lavinia Wormwood, error in taxes, 1943	11.20	
Ralph Spence, poll tax paid in Eliot	3.00	
Elwin Johnson, no poll, in the Navy	3.00	
Heirs of Orrin Drowns, error in taxing	7.20	
Lester R. Garvin, no electric refrigerator	3.20	
Lydia Tanguay, error in taxing	12.00	
Walter Babcock, no electric refrigerator	3.00	
Justin Burdin, exempt	4.56	
Frank Dennis, poll tax paid in Biddeford	3.00	
Elmer C. Bennett, poll tax paid in Sanford	3.00	
John Carpenter, error in taxing, 1939	4.03	
William Hayes, no piano and radio, 1939	4.02	
Edward Jarvis, unable to pay 1939	2.65	
Walter Ricker, bad bill, 1939	7.21	

Charles H. Cluff Estate, unable to pay, 1939	2.70	
Frank Gagne, moved away, 1939	5.56	
Taken from Overlay		126.91
	$ 426.91	$ 426.91

OVERLAY

Overlay assessed according to law		$1,283.30
Overdrafts:		
Opening Roads in Winter	$1,589.91	
Highways and Bridges	225.30	
Purchase of Fire Hose	48.90	
Insurance	4.35	
Care of Fountain and Park	8.00	
Interest on not in anticipation of taxes	11.50	
Discounts and Abatements	126.91	
Overdraft		731.56
	$2,014.86	$2,014.86

Respectfully submitted,

PERCY F. MORRILL,

JOHN E. ROBERTS,

FREDERICK H. JONES.

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TXAES, 1938

Mrs. Mabel Bracy	$ 4.41
Albert E. Carpenter	42.86
Fred Blanchard	1.45
Burleigh Hicken	1.45
Edward Jarvis	2.90
John Johnstone	1.45
Rupert Lord	1.45
Harold Leach	26.39
Kenneth Leach	68.44
John Penney	1.45
Harland Ward	1.45
Minnie Woodward	1.45
Charles Yeaton	10.44
John Robbins	31.90
Burton E. Lane	11.60
	$ 209.09

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES, 1940

Mrs. Mabel Bracy	$ 4.26
Fred Blanchard	1.40
Herbert N. Chadbourne	9.86
Clifton Clark	1.40
Charles H. Cluff Estate	2.86
John B. Donovan	5.88
Wilmer Foltz	5.60
Mrs. Joseph Fournier	12.04
Harold Hall	7.34
William Hayes	4.26
Burleigh Hicken	1.40
John Johnstone	1.40

Harold Leach	31.92
Kenneth Leach	25.20
Waldo Ricker	1.40
Henry E. Roberts	4.20
Mrs. Mabel Webster	1.40
	$ 121.82

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES, 1941

Chesley Bracy	$ 1.38
Mabel Bracy	4.18
Charles Burns	10.18
Charles H. Cluff estate	2.81
John B. Donovan	3.03
Thomas Guay	4.46
George Hicken	1.38
William Hayes	4.18
Harold Hall	7.20
Harold Leach	37.40
Kenneth Leach	4.13
Ralph Nichols	2.75
John Penney	1.38
Ralph Poole	1.38
	$ 85.84

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES, 1942

Fred Blanchard	$ 1.70
Charles Burns	14.28
Herbert N. Chadbourne	8.57
Charles H. Cluff estate	3.47
Wilmer Foltz	3.40

Cheslie Flanders	5.36	
Carroll and Jean Grover	3.40	
Owen Gilpatrick	6.80	
Harold Hall	8.90	
William Hayes	5.17	
Harold Leach	4.08	
Roscoe Morse	1.70	
Ralph Nichols	1.70	
Ralph Poole	1.70	
Waldo and Nedra Ricker	5.10	
		$ 84.85

UNCOLLECTED NON-RESIDENT TAXES, 1942

Herman K. Walker	$ 17.00	
		$ 17.00

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES, 1943

Wilfred Allaire	$ 2.56	
Charles H. Burns	15.36	
Cheslie Flanders	23.74	
Elmer Goodrich	1.60	
Carroll Grover	3.20	
Harold Hall	7.42	
William Hayes	4.86	
Charles H. Hussey	6.40	
Harold Leach	1.60	
Rupert Lord	48.96	
Ralph Nichols	1.60	
Norman L. Storer	1.60	
		$ 118.90

UNCOLLECTED NON-RESIDENT PERSONAL TAXES, 1943

Shell Gas Co.	$ 1.60	
Herman K. Walker	16.00	
		$ 17.60

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES, 1941

George Hicken	$ 3.00	
		$ 3.00

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES, 1942

Owen Gilpatrick	$ 3.00	
Clarence Henderson	3.00	
Charles H. Hussey	3.00	
James C. Noonan	3.00	
Ralph M. Poole	3.00	
		$ 15.00

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES, 1943

Wilfred Allaire	$ 3.00	
		$ 3.00

HARRY J. KELLEY,

Collector for 1938, 40, 41, 42, 43.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Town of Alfred

RECEIPTS

1944

Balance	$ 5,527.16	
From Marcia Shaw, Tax Collector:		
1944 Taxes, Real Estate, Personal and Polls	28,257.78	
Harry Kelley, back taxes	616.78	
Marion Hewey, excise tax	166.06	
Eunice Johnson, excise tax	265.81	
Mary C. Kelley, excise tax	156.30	
Frederick A. Hobbs, liens	1,034.45	
Liens	732.10	
Grace L. Akers, back taxes	56.24	
		$36,812.68

Leland Gile, refund	$ 60.00	
Boston Herald Traveler, refund	4.29	
John G. Smith, refund	17.20	
S. J. Nowell, refund	13.65	
C. H. Cole & Sons	15.63	
Town of Lyman, tuition	22.00	
Ralph Littlefield, tuition	15.00	
Percy Morrill, hall rent	25.00	
Homer E. Crooker	15.00	
Sanford Institution for Savings	3,000.00	
C. H. Cole & Sons, dividend	19.00	
White Mountain National Forest Reserve	27.73	
Sam Bergslien	36.00	
		$ 3,270.50

State of Maine Railroad and Telegraph Tax	$ 67.82	
State School fund	2,197.99	
Dog Tax	23.55	
Bank Stock Tax	24.10	
Snow Removal	278.37	
		$ 2,5951.83
Teachers' Retirement Fund	$ 260.51	
Withholding Tax	1,351.67	
		$ 1,612.18
Teachers' Retirement Fund	$ 94.88	
Withholding Tax	242.26	
		$ 337.14
		$44,624.33

EXPENDITURES

By Order of Selectmen	$37,935.09
Series G, U. S. War Savings Bond	500.00
Cash on Hand	6,189.24
	$44,624.33

RESOURCES

1943 Tax Liens

Farrar, William, balance	$ 150.03
Fenwick, John	33.28
Flanders, Chesley	56.30
Foltz, Wilmer	106.49
Grover, Carroll and Jean	19.96

Hall, Harold	39.93	
Roberts, Wallace E.	66.56	
Stearns, Georgia H.	320.31	
Boston, Herman D.	19.96	
Crane, Mrs. Charles	143.12	
McDonald, Idella	5.10	
Nowell, Ralph E.	6.60	
Paul, Esther D.	4.66	
Allaire, Wilfred	13.31	
Moulton, George, balance	3.69	
Day, F. Millett, balance	2.86	
Kimball, Mary H. Estate	137.60	
		$ 1,129.76

Interest and costs not included in the above liens.

TAX DEEDS

Clark, Samuel, dated Feb. 7, 1927	$ 69.81	
Junkins, Alfred, dated Feb. 2, 1929	19.26	
Jacobs, A. E., dated Feb. 2, 1932	8.07	
		$ 97.14

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,

Town Treasurer

Alfred, Maine
February 15, 1945

ALFRED FIRE DEPARTMENT
TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS 1944

Balance	$ 192.58	
Nov. 27 Town of Alfred	500.00	
		$ 692.58

EXPENDITURES

Paid by Order	$ 321.41	
Balance	371.17	
		$ 692.58

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,

Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 15, 1945

OLD CEMETERY FUND
TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS, 1944

Balance	$1,818.13	
Interest	27.37	
		$1,845.50

Sept. 6	H. B. Fernald	$	3.00
	W. Harmon		24.00
Feb. 10	Balance		1,818.50
			$1,845.50

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,

Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 15, 1945

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY
TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS, 1944

Balance	$2,852.30
H. B. Fernald, sale of books	3.55
Henry Parsons	100.00
New York Trust Co.	44.77
H. B. Fernald, for books	3.75
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R. R.	150.00
New York Trust Co.	44.77
State of Maine, Stipend	35.00
New York Trust Co.	44.77
H. B. Fernald	12.32
H. B. Fernald	8.69
H. B. Fernald	1.50
Library Fines	24.25
New York Trust Co.	44.77
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R. R.	150.00
Sanford Institution for Savings, inter-	

est	21.63
Sanford Trust Co., interest	9.94
Fidelity Trust Company, liquidating dividend	120.13
Town of Alfred	350.00
	$4,022.14

EXPENDITURES, 1944

Paid by Order of Directors	$1,159.22
Balance on Hand	2,862.92
	$4,022.14

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,

Town Treasurer

Alfred, Maine
February 15, 1944

DOG LICENSES

Number of Dogs	97
Males	62
Females	9
	97

Amount Collected	$ 123.30
Paid Secretary of Agriculture	$ 123.30

Respectfully submitted,

DUDLEY T. FORREST,

Town Clerk.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT, 1944

Commitment Property Tax	$ 29,169.99	
Commitment Poll Tax	633.00	
		$ 29,802.99
Supplemental Property Tax Collected	$ 54.30	
Supplemental Poll Tax Collected	51.00	
		$ 105.30
Interest Collected 9-1-44 to 2-10-45	$ 153.27	
		$ 153.27
		$ 30,061.56
Paid Treasurer	$ 28,257.78	
Discounts allowed according to vote	274.54	
Abatements allowed by Assessors	64.46	
		$ 28,596.78
Uncollected Resident Taxes	$ 846.57	
Uncollected Non-Resident Taxes	618.21	
		$ 1,464.78
		$ 30,061.56

UNCOLLECTED POLLS

Benjamin D. Bickford	$ 3.00	
Ralph Nichols	3.00	
		$ 6.00

UNCOLLECTED RESIDENT TAXES
Real and Personal

Florence Amerault	$ 28.50	
Benjamin D. Bickford	3.00	
Charles H. Burns	24.90	
Charles and Phyllis Butler	90.00	
*Frank Clark and Alice Littlefield	2.25	
Estate of Charles H. Cluff	49.50	
*William DeMille	27.00	
Carl Eagle	3.00	
William J. Farrar	225.18	
Cheslie Flanders	71.52	
Elmer Goodrich	1.50	
Carroll and Jean Grover	18.00	
Ralph Nichols	6.00	
Lester D. Roberts	1.50	
Georgia H. Stearns	288.72	
		$ 840.57

*—Paid after books closed.

UNCOLLECTED NON-RESIDENT TAXES

Herman D. Boston	$ 18.00
Angelina M. Brown	150.00

*Frank W. Clark	16.50
Mrs. Charles Crane	129.00
*Edward Emery	4.50
John Fenwick	30.00
Walter Gowen	12.00
*Dwight Ives	4.50
*Amelia LePanne	9.00
*Estate of Ed. I. Littlefield	40.20
Idella MacDonald	4.50
Ralph Nowell	6.00
*Anna Paganelli	36.00
Roland Patry	68.22
Esther D. Paul	4.20
Jennie Picken	5.70
W. E. and J. T. Ridley	23.49
Estate of George H. Smith	18.00
Alphonse Tanguay	11.40
Lydia Tanguay	12.00
Herman K. Walker	15.00
	$ 618.21

*—Paid after books closed.

Respectfully submitted,

MARCIA E. SHAW,

Tax Collector.

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES, 1939

Allen, Charles	$ 1.59
Bracy, Mabel	4.03
Blanchard, Fred	1.33
Champagne, Gerard	1.33
Chadbourne, Herbert N.	9.33
Foltz, Wilmer	5.30
Flanders, Cheslie	16.16
Hicken, Burleigh	1.33
Johnstone, John	1.33
Leach, Harold	43.73
Leach, Kenneth	3.18
Penney, John	1.33
Robbins, John	5.30
Woodsome, Norris	2.65
	$ 97.92

GRACE L. AKERS,
Tax Collector, 1939

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To the Citizens of the Town of Alfred:

I hereby submit my report for the year 1944 and up to February, 1945.

Several minor accidents at the school were given first aid and three pupils taken to their homes after they became ill at school.

Respectfully submitted,
KATHRYN S. RICHARDS,
School Nurse.

REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICER

Two cases of whooping cough, three of measles and one case of typhoid fever have been reported to me in the past year.

Robert T. Hardy has been reappointed plumbing inspector.

All contagious, infectious and communicable diseases should be reported immediately when diagnosed as such by a physician.

Special attention is called to:

Tuberculosis
Pneumonia
Diphtheria
Scarlet Fever
Typhoid Fever
Small Pox
Measles
Infantile Paralysis
Whooping Cough
Spinal Menigitis

KATHRYN S. RICHARDS,
Health Officer.

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

To the Citizens of the Town of Alfred:

I hereby submit my Annual Report for the year February 1, 1944 to February 1, 1945.

Considerable time was spent this year on tuberculosis work. In March one student who was a positive reactor in 1943 was taken to Biddeford for re-X-ray. In May 12 students were given tuberculosis tests, one positive reactor found and taken to Biddeford for X-ray by the State Health Department. In January, 1945, 41 students were Patch tested for tuberculosis, results were all negative. Several visits were made after testing was done and X-rays taken to check up on suspects and positive reactors.

Early in the spring term a dental clinic was organized and during April and May many school children were taken by the nurse to Sanford to Dr. A. C. Hanscom's office for dentistry, ten had work completed, others had work finished during the summer vacation. Finances furnished by the A. A. M. Club, Red Cross and the American Legion Auxiliary.

Many home calls were made to pre-school and school children because of skin troubles, pediculosis, illnesses and to assist parents in having defects corrected. Also follow-up visits after all surgery done.

Three children had tonsil and adenoid operations at the free clinic at Goodall Hospital, Sanford.

Annual health inspection completed in all grades:

Number pupils inspected 133

Number pupils with defects	75
Number pupils with no dental defects	56
Number pupils with the following defects:	
Teeth (deciduous)	50
Teeth (permanent)	34
Throat	15
Vision	4
Pediculosis	4
Unclean skin	3
Unclean teeth	8

All cases of pediculosis cleared up at this date, February 1, 1945.

Many visits made to the school, other than those for the annual inspections, for the purpose of conducting various clinics, checking with the teachers on Health Progress Sheets, health talks, delivering pamphlets and booklets on Health Education and a check up on the general health of all pupils.

During the spring term (1944) immunization clinic was organized. Sixteen received smallpox vaccination and 19 were inoculated against diphtheria. Immunizations were given by Dr. Moulton.

I take this opportunity to say I shall be glad to assist all the students in having defects corrected, in order that they may qualify for the Nine-Point Health Certificate, issued by the Maine Public Health Association.

I wish to thank Maynard E. Wright, Superintendent of Schools, Mrs. Richards, interested citizens and or-

ganizations for their kind help and cooperation in conducting the health service.

Respectfully submitted,

York County Tuberculosis
and Health Association

By: NELLIE P. SAWYER, R. N.
Public Health Nurse.

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

To the Directors of Parsons Memorial Library:

Gentlemen:

I submit the following as the forty-first annual report.

The routine work has gone on as usual at the library, Mrs. Howard Clark and Miss Barbara Donovan carrying on efficiently for me during my enforced absence.

Through the generosity of Mr. Joseph Parsons, we have been able to purchase some fine books and have also received several boxes of books from Mr. Henry Parsons, a gift of money from the A. A. M. Class and a book from Miss Dora Jordan, Mrs. David Wilson and the New Century Club. Mrs. Clark also gives us Parents Magazine, as in former years.

We are very grateful indeed for these gifts.

As the town raised our maintenance fund this year, some of the much needed repairs have been attended to and the stipend from the State automatically increased.

The walls in the reading room and the floors still need to be done over, the repairs this year having been confined to the outside of the building.

Art Week was observed during November, much interest being shown in the local exhibits.

The circulation, though small, especially during the summer, is due I feel not only to the absence of so many young people in war work and the armed forces, but also to the gas shortage.

This year, we have again started sending a box of books to a district outside, Miss Elsie Gile being in charge of these books.

We also contributed generously to the paper salvage drive.

In spite of a small library at school, I feel Parsons Memorial Library is proving of much help to the students, for much of their reference work and book reports.

Local students who attend school elsewhere, but come home week ends, also find help here and our local New Century Club has been helped by a bibliography, available at the library compiled by Dr. David H. Wilson and advice from May Lamberton Becker of the New York Herald Tribune.

Following is a list of books added during the last year.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE R. HEWEY,

Librarian.

BOOKS ADDED TO PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY IN 1944

Adams, Franklin P. Nods and Becks
Adams, Samuel Hopkins....The Secret of Lonesome Cave
Ahern, Eleanor.....The Way We Wash Our Clothes
Albrand, Martha.....Endure No Longer
Allen, Hervey.....Bedford Village
Asch, Scholem.....The Apostle

Bailey, Temple.....Silver Slippers
Baldwin, Faith.....Change of Heart
Barbour, Thomas.....Naturalist at Large
Baruch, Bernard
.....War and Post-War Adjustment Policies
Beals, Frank L.....Davy Crocket
Beard, Charles and Mary....A Basic History of the U. S.
Boston, Martha Lee.....The Girl Without a Country
Bolkin, B. A.....A Treasury of American Folk Lore
Bowen, Catherine.....Yankee from Olympus
Bower, B. M.....The Flying U's Last Stand
Boyle, Kay.....Avalanche
Brand, Max.....Dr. Kildare's Trial
Breasted, Charles.....Pioneer to the Past
Brewster, Edward Tenney.....The Puzzling Planet
Brockway, Sylvia.....Sarah and I
Brooks, Van Wyck.....The World of Washington Irving
Browne, Lewis This Believing World
Buck, Pearl.....The Promise

Cameron, Charles Lee.....Dancing Saints
Carrol, Gladys Hasty.....Dunnybrook
Chase, Virginia.....The American House
Coffin, Robert P. Tristram.....Mainstays of Maine
Connolly, Vera.....Judy Grant, Editor
Cormack, Maribelle.....The Road to Down Under
Cronin, Dr. A. J.....The Green Years

Crowther, Samuel.....Time to Inquire

Davis, Lavinia R. Stand Fast and Reply
Deming, Doris.....Penny Marsh and Ginger Lee
Deming, Doris.....Penny Marsh Finds Adventure

Emock, Reginald C.....The Andes and the Amazon
Fairchild, David.....Garden Island of the Great East
Farmer, Wendell.....Bicycle Commandos
Flavin, Martin.....Journey in the Dark
Fletcher, J. S.....The Missing Chancellor
Fredborg, Arvid.....Behind the Steel Walls
Freund, Richard.....Zero Hour
Friskey, Margaret..Tad Lincoln and the Green Unbrella
Funk, Charles Earl, Editor
.....New International Year Book

Galesworthy, John.....Swan Song
Galesworthy, John.....Maid-in-Waiting
Gates, Doris.....Sensible Kate
Gerard, James W.....Face to Kace with Kaiserism
Giles, Neil.....Punch in Susie
Goudge, Elizabeth.....Green Dolphin Street
Graham, Eleanor.....Our Way Down East
Grant, George W.....The Winged Pharoah
Gray, Zane.....Desert Wheat
Gray, Zane.....Wilderness Trek
Grew, Joseph.....The Mysterious Rider
Grew, Joseph.....Ten Years in Japan

Hathaway, Katherine Butler.....The Little Locksmith
Haystead, Ladd.....Meet the Farmers
Hersey, John.....A Bell for Adano
Hill, Grace L. Time of the Singing of Birds
Hilton, James.....The Story of Dr. Wassell
Hogben, Lancelot.....Mathematics for the Million
Homer, Joy.....Dawn Watch in China

Hudson, Jay William Albe Pierre

Janeway, Elizabeth The Walsh Girls
Jennison, Keith The Maine Idea
Jennison, Keith New Hampshire
Judson, Clara Ingram They Came from Sweden

Kawakami, E. K. Manchukuo, Child of Conflict
Keyes, Frances Parkinson Also the Hills
Kimbrough, Emily How Dear to My Heart

Leaf, Munro Grammar Can Be Fun
Lanski, Lois Puritan Adventure
Lilenthal, David E. T. V. A. Democracy on the March
Lincoln, Joseph The Bradshaws of Harness
Lin Yutang My Country and My People
Lippman, Walter U. S. War Aims
Lovelace, Delos W. Gen. Ike Eisenhower

MacPherson, Margaret I Heard the Anzacs Singing
Marston, William and Feller, John
..... Proctor, Vaudeville Pioneer
McKenkie, F. A. From Tokyo to Tiflis
McSwigan, Marie The Weather House People
Molloy, Anne Decky's Secret
Montague, C. E. Right Off the Map
Montgomery, Helen The Colonel's Lady
Montgomery, Rutherford Big Brownie

Ogilvey, Margaret James M. Barrie
Ogilvey, Elizabeth High Tide at Noon
O'Hara, Mary My Friend Flicka
Old, Helen Diehl Jill, Movie Maker
Osborn, Fairfield The Pacific World

Palmer Frederick This Man, Landon
Peattie, Donald C. Journey Into America
Philbrook, Elizabeth Far from Marlborough Street

Prichard, F. H. Training in Literary Appreciation
Priestley, J. B. The Good Companions
Pyle, Ernie Here Is Your War
Pyle, Ernie Brave Men

Roosevelt, Kermit War in the Garden of Eden

Sangster, Margaret E. The Bible Quiz Book
Sandberg, Carl The War Years, Volumes I, II, III & IV
Schluter, Wm. C. Economic Cycles and Crises
Seagrane, Gordon Burma Surgeon
Sharp, Margaret Cluny Brown
Shaw, Charles Gray The Road to Culture
Shute, Nevil Pastoral
Sidney, Margaret Phronsie Pepper
Spencer, Cornela Made in China
Starr, Harris E.
..... Dictionary of American Biography, Vol. 21
Stone, Irving Immortal Wife
Strong, Theron G. Joseph B. Choate

Tarkington, Booth Kate Fennigate
Thomas, Lowell Pageant of Romance

Untermeyer, Louis A Treasury of Great Poems
Urnston, Mary Plain Clothes Patricia

Waldeck, Theodore J. Treks Across the Veldt
Walker, Mildred Winter Wheat
Ward, Maisie Gilbert Keith Chesterton
Ward, Marion Boat Children of Canton
Watson, Forbes Winslow Homer
Welles, Sumner The Time for Decision
Weston, Christine Indigo
Weygandt, Cornelius The Heart of New Hampshire
Williams, Ben Ames Leave Her to Heaven
Wilson, Charles Morrow Roots of America
Wright, Anna Rose Sumner at Buckhorn

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT OF VITAL STATISTICS

Marriages, 1944

April 9—Arthur Elsworth Merrifield and Velma Harriet Hussey at Alfred, Maine by Rev. Charles L. Stevens.

April 22—Wendall L. Walker and Mrs. Mertie E. Theriault at Alfred, Maine by Frederick A. Hobbs, Justice of the Peace.

June 22—Irvin Frankin Thompson and Hazel Laura Wallingford at Sanford Maine by Rev. John L. Quigg.

June 23—Harland Harden Welch and Myrtle Victoria Brewer at Gardiner, Maine by Rev. Louis S. Staples.

July 8—Albert Poirier and June Smilie at Alfred, Maine by Frederick A. Hobbs, Justice of the Peace.

September 23—Walter S. Perkins and Velma I. Wright at Alfred, Maine by Rev. Charles L. Stevens.

November 18—Albert Stockpole Pollock and Matilda Clotilda Renzetti at New London, Connecticut by Rev. Oliver W. Bell.

December 16—Owen William Gilpatrick and Effie May Johnstone at Buxton, Maine, by Rev. Jalbert A. Hammond.

December 23—Arthur Cyrial Hussey and Eleanor Mae Merrifield at Springvale, Maine by Rev. William H. Johnson.

December 30—Willie Roux and Dorothy Irene Paquin at Sanford, Maine by Rev. Henry L. Seinesy.

Marriages, 1945

January 21—Raymond William Lavigne and Ethel Eunice Ellis at Alfred, Maine by Rev. Charles L. Stevens.

February 11—Morall Bruce Harper and Mrs. Dorris M. Buck at Sanford, Maine by Rev. Frederic E. Charrier.

February 14—Andre Joseph Vachon and Mildred Louise Bickford at Alfred, Maine by Rev. James B. Ranger.

Births, 1943

June 27—In Alfred to Mr. and Mrs. Waldo E. Ricker (Nedra J. Preece), a son, Richard Owen.

Births, 1944

February 27—In Sanford to Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Hall (Rachel Theodora Hobbs), a son, John Theodore.

March 20—In Alfred to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Leach (Beatrice Carl), a son, Bradley Lee.

May 20—In Sanford to Mr. and Mrs. Leroy C. Brown (June Webster), a daughter, Virginia Anne.

May 27—In Sanford to Mr. and Mrs. Malcom Roberts (Marjorie Deering), a son, Malcom William.

June 18—In Sanford to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Earl Kimball (Millie Mearl Bragg), a son, Warren Wayne.

July 4—In Sanford to Mr. and Mrs. John Bshara (Annie Clough), a son, Robert Vincent.

August 20—In Sanford to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Merserve (Hazel Ashton), a daughter, Jeannie Leslie.

August 30—In Sanford to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Leach Morrill (Capitola Deverton Fleming), a son, Larry Bruce.

September 1—In Sanford to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Anthony Culcasi (Lois Mary Chadbourne), a daughter, Nancy Lois.

September 1—In Sanford to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hill (Edna Cram), a son, Carroll Dana.

September 1—In Saco to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond William Harmon (Emeline Eva Gammon), a son, Russell Elliot.

September 3—In Saco to Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Carle Allen (Electa Littlefield), a daughter, Susanne Allen.

September 12—In Saco to Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Harry Chadbourne (Blanche Louella Fleming), a daughtre, Diana Ruth.

October 16—In Sanford to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Storer (Dorothy Ashton), a daughter, Marjorie Elizabeth.

November 2—In Alfred to Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Hussey (Gladys M. Adams), a son, Gerald Thomas.

November 12—In Sanford to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Champagne (Hilda Blanchette), a daughter, Muriel Rita.

November 30—In Sanford to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Daney (Rita Pierce), a son, Roland Leroy.

December 27—In Biddeford to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth MacDougal Lewis (Evelyn Mary Langley), a daughter, Caral Ann.

Deaths, Buried Here, 1944

July 7—Daniel Littlefield, 82 years, 4 months, 17 days. Cause of death, Acute Myocarditis.

July 24—Maynard Ashton Hobbs, 62 years, 3 months, 10 days. Cause of death, Acute Cardiac Failure.

November 29—Judson Frethy Carter, 80 years, 9 months, 22 days. Cause of death, Cardio Vascular Renal Disease.

December 29—Thomas Garvin Hall, 84 years, 2 months, 25 days. Cause of death, Coronary Thrombosis.

Died Here, Buried Away, 1944

April 19—Laura Isabelle Hussey, 82 years, 5 months, 19 days. Cause of death, Diabetes.

June 4—Amy Steves Crozier, 70 years, 1 month, 6 days. Cause of death, Broncho Penic Carcinoma of left Lung.

November 15—Albert Sanborn Willey, 86 years, 12 days. Cause of death, Cardio Vascular Renal Disease with Bronchial Asthma.

Died Away, Buried Here, 1944

January 27—Barbara May Hill, 14 years, 10 months, 3 days. Cause of death, Status Epileptus.

March 7—Mildred Irene Rowe, 61 years, 10 months, 2 days. Cause of death, Acute Myocarditis.

August 9—John H. Bennett, 83 years, 1 month. Cause of death, Cardio Respiration Failure.

October 2—Ida Susan Leavitt Allen, 78 years, 10 months, 3 days. Cause of death, Cancer of Uterus.

Died Away, Buried Here, 1944

October 13—Lena Liza Palmer Clark, 55 years, 9 months, 25 days. Cause of death, Cancer of Broad Ligament.

November 20—Charles Randolph Wilson, 91 years, 8 months, 14 days. Cause of death, Arteriosclerosis.

Died Away, Buried Away, 1944

May 5—Charles W. Birch, 44 years, 4 months, 8 days. Cause of death, Perforation of Gastic Ulcer.

A copy of the records as returned to the Clerk at Alfred, Maine.

DUDLEY T. FORREST,

Clerk.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Superintending School Committee and the Citizens of Alfred:

I herewith submit the annual report of school:

According to the census taken April, 1944, Alfred has 106 boys and 126 girls between the ages of five and twenty-one. Of this number 133 are registered in the elementary grades as follows: Sub-primary, 17; Grade 1, 15; Grade 2, 13; Grade 3, 19; Grade 4, 13; Grade 5, 6; Grade 6, 16; Grade 7, 17; Grade 8, 17. Enrollment in the high school at the present time is 22.

There have been two changes in the teaching personnel since last year. Mr. Charles P. Steward of Portland was engaged last September as principal of the high school. The vacancy in the sub-primary, caused by the resignation of Miss Lucile M. Jones, was filled by the election of Mrs. Dorothy W. DeBertram of Springvale.

Last summer a beginning was made in the matter of interior painting. The three lower grade rooms were redecorated and also two rooms in the basement. This is only a small part of what should be done to put the building in proper condition. Interior painting should be continued until the whole building has been done.

Repairs other than those mentioned should be done. It has been quite a few years since the outside of the building was painted. To do this very soon would be an economy. The lighting system is wholly inadequate. The building should be rewired and mod-

ern equipment installed.

A group of interested mothers have recently sponsored a hot lunch program for the children of the lower grades. It is hoped that this program will be expanded to include all children staying at the school during the noon hour. A room has been set off in one corner of the basement and is being used as a place in which to prepare the lunches. An extra appropriation is being requested for the purpose of equipping this room properly for carrying out the project. There is no doubt concerning the value of hot lunches for those children who are obliged to carry dinners to school. School authorities are being urged to give increasing attention to the health of the child. This project is a definite step in that direction. A group of interested citizens are willing to help. May we have your favorable consideration of this matter?

A school year has been maintained without serious interruption. There has been no change in the teaching personnel since the beginning of the year. In this we have been very fortunate.

There is no lessening of the teacher shortage. It is to be feared that the situation another year will be even more acute. There are in Maine alone more than 250 teaching vacancies at the present time. Since the beginning of the war schools throughout the country have lost to military service or non-teaching employment more than 280,000 teachers. Since normal schools and colleges are enrolling 60 per cent less prospective teachers than normally the outlook for some time to come is far from encouraging.

May I in closing express to the Citizens, School Board and Teachers my sincere appreciation for their cooperation during the year just ended.

Respectfully submitted.

MAYNARD E. WRIGHT,

Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE HIGH SCHOOL

Alfred, Maine
February 14, 1945

To the Superintendent of Schools of the Town of Alfred, Maine:

I herewith submit a report of the Alfred High School for the year 1944-45.

School, as you know, opened September the eleventh 1944, with the following enrollment:

	Boys	Girls
Seniors	0	5
Juniors	1	4
Sophomores	1	8
Freshmen	1	6
Total	3	22

One boy of the Sophomore Class had to leave when his parents moved to Sanford at the end of the second week, and two girls of the Freshmen Class left at the close of school at Christmas time. One's family moved to Caribou, Maine, and the other I understand went to work.

We are still carrying on the same courses as last year, I have preferred not to change anything the first year. This is to say we have a college course and a general course.

Under the splendid coaching of Malcomb Roberts, and through his generous gift of his time we have both a girls' and boys' basketball team in the making. The players are taken from both the Senior High and Junior High Schools. Right here let me say that I believe that he should be reimbursed in some way satisfactory for this generosity.

Let me thank the teachers who have so fully and kindly helped me in carrying out our program. And I must mention the splendid cooperation between our janitor, Mr. William Hayes, and the teaching force. Lastly to the Superintendent and School Board for their aid and suggestions I extend my many thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

C. P. STEWARD,

Principal.

REPORT OF THE SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

To the Superintendent of Schools, School Board and Citizens of Alfred:

I herewith submit my annual report of music in the schools.

Music tests have been delayed by reason of many

interruptions and absences owing to the severe winter, drifted road conditions, etc.

Satisfactory progress is being made in all grades as a result of conscientious work by both teachers and pupils.

The sub-primary grade, introduced this year, give the very young pupils some musical experience before meeting the study of fundamentals taken up in grades one and two. We are anxious to acquire some of the "World of Music" series into grades three and four. These books are a recent publication and have proven to be of much interest in grades five and eight where they are now in use. They present many new folk songs of various countries that are most attractive, developing the minor mode in some of their haunting melodies.

Grades five to eight are doing more or less a cappella work in part singing and sight reading. Grades seven and eight sang at the Christmas service of the Congregational Church most acceptably. Much credit is due Mrs. Clark for her work with them.

Mrs. Gould's accompaniments are an inspiration to any group and we greatly appreciate the time she devotes to the high school chorus in addition to her own grade work.

We need more time and material for Music Appreciation study. In this war torn world of today, the only place Harmony can be found is in good music. Can't we all do a little more to help bring it to all our communities to ease the tension and heart aches of those who have boys "over there". Sometimes music appeals where the spoken word fails.

I sincerely appreciate the support and cooperation

of our Superintendent, School Board, teachers and Citizens of the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN M. DOLLEY,

Supervisor of Music.

Limerick, Maine
February 10, 1945

SCHOOL ACCOUNT

RESOURCES

Balance, 1944	$ 635.28	
Appropriation, 1944	12,300.00	
State School Fund	2,197.99	
Secondary Tuition, Town of Lyman	22.00	
Refund, Boston Herald Trav. Corp.	4.29	
Elementary Tuition, Ralph Littlefield	15.00	
Total		$15,174.56

EXPENDITURES

	Elementary	Secondary	
Teachers	$5,262.75	$3,718.08	
Fuel	387.28	225.67	
Janitor Service	865.20	540.00	
Conveyance	2,808.28		
Text Books	289.66	105.39	
Supplies	227.43	132.77	
	$9,840.60	$4,721.91	
Total			$14,562.51
Balance, 1945			612.05
			$15,174.56

EXPENDITURES ITEMIZED

Teachers

	Elementary	Secondary
Josephine D. Gould	$ 981.63	
Lucile M. Jones	410.00	
Celia M. Day	1,002.73	
Beatrice L. Clark	1,008.28	
Hattie E. Clark	1,008.28	
Alice Morey	41.65	
Dorothy W. DeBertram	572.18	
Helen M. Dolley	238.00	68.00
James A. Johnson		105.55
Dorothy L. Marshall		1,673.29
Barbara M. Leonard		665.71
Charles P. Steward		1,166.64
Marcia W. Shaw		38.89
	$5,262.75	$3,718.08

Total $8,980.83

Fuel

	Elementary	Secondary
H. Alberta Roberts	$ 383.28	$ 223.67
Shepard & Morse Lumber Co.	4.00	2.00
	$ 387.28	$ 225.67

Total $ 612.95

Janitor Service

	Elementary	Secondary	
William R. Hayes	$ 865.20	$ 540.00	
Total			$1,405.20

Conveyance

	Elementary	Secondary
Roscoe Hussey	$1,235.00	
Harold Hall	1,042.00	
Thomas Scott	425.00	
Maynard Clough	32.50	
Leavitt Insurance Co.	73.78	
Total		$2,808.28

Text Books

	Elementary	Secondary
Beckley-Cardy Co.	$ 55.86	
Houghton-Mifflin Co.	5.49	
American Ed. Press, Inc.	22.80	
American Book Co.	65.91	
Webster Pub. Co.	2.20	
C. C. Birchard Co.	1.32	
Cressey & Allen	1.95	
D. C. Heath & Co.	5.37	
Scott, Foresman & Co.	74.78	
Silver Burdett & Co.	3.02	
The L. W. Singer Co.	5.46	
C. S. Hammond & Co.	2.49	
The Macmillan Co.	7.29	

Supplies

	Elementary	Secondary	
Allyn & Bacon	3.11		
Ginn & Co.	2.45	15.25	
World Book Co.	17.51	.94	
Frontier Press Co. of Boston	12.65	27.98	
The Nat. Geog. Society		3.50	
News Map of the Week, Inc.		15.00	
Boston Herald Trav. Corp.		4.29	
The Book Supply Co.		36.02	
Lorenz Pub. Co.		2.41	
	$ 289.66	$ 105.39	
Total			$ 395.05

Maine Public Health Assn.	$.53		
Ginn & Co.	4.99		
Saul Shalit	2.69		
Ernest G. Knights	.63		
Berry Paper Co.	10.00	6.72	
Loring, Short & Harmon	30.00	10.12	
Central Maine Power Co.	70.70	57.00	
C. B. Dolge Co.	30.00	13.75	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	22.19	19.85	
John A. Roberts	3.36	1.00	
J. L. Hammett & Co.	2.10	8.92	
Maynard E. Wright	3.72	3.00	
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	46.52	12.41	
	$ 227.43	$ 132.77	
Total			$ 360.20

REPAIRS ACCOUNT

RESOURCES

Appropriation	$1,000.00
Refund, S. J. Nowell	13.65
Total	$1,013.65

EXPENDITURES

	Elementary	Secondary	
Elwin Morey	$ 7.00		
Warren & Gatchell	8.00		
Ralph W. Smith	2.00		
N. J. Prescott	5.00		
S. J. Nowell	30.30		
Edward E. Babb & Co.	6.82		
Edna Hutchins	1.50		
John A. Roberts	138.12	$ 11.22	
Forrest Clark	77.52	38.50	
The Emery - Waterhouse Co.	16.75	11.85	
M. F. Bragdon Paint Co.	15.87	6.00	
Carl N. Hanson	263.18	30.00	
N. J. Gendron Lumber Co.	89.88	15.00	
Incidental Account (Insurance)	104.00	100.00	
Stanley Dana Corp.		31.11	
	$ 765.94	$ 243.69	
Total			$1,009.62
Balance, 1945			4.03
			$1,013.65

SUPERINTENDENCE ACCOUNT

Appropriated from Incidental Account	$ 320.83
Paid Maynard E. Wright	320.83

SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS FOR ALL SCHOOL PURPOSES

RESOURCES

For Schools	$15,174.56	
For Repairs	1,013.65	
For Superintendence	320.83	
Total		$16,509.04

EXPENDITURES

For Schools	$14,562.51	
For Repairs	1,009.62	
For Superintendence	320.83	
Total		$15,892.96
Balance on all Accounts, 1945	616.08	
		$16,494.04

HONOR ROLL



Allen, Clifford H.
Allen, Ralph W.

Brock, Herbert N.
Brock, William E.
Brook, Thomas G.
*Burbank, Caleb U. Jr.
Burbank, Richard E.

Carpenter, Maurice H.
Carpenter, Oscar H.

Day, Arnold E.
Daney, Milton L.
Donovan, John B., Jr.
Drowns, Charles E.
Dube, Francis J.
Dube, Louis M.

Eagle, Carll E.
Emery, Philip W.
Evans, Ralph O.

Farrar, William J.
Ford, Frank F., Jr.
Fournier, Napoleon J.

*Gay, Harold
Garvin, Eugene E.
Garvin, Richard R.
Garvin, Thomas T.
Gile, Leland H., Jr.
Goodwin, Donald W.
Gordon, Lewis F., Jr.

Hamel, James L.
Hardy, Charles C.
Hersom, Ernest W.
Hobbs, Frederick A. 2nd
Hobbs, Frederick R.
Hobbs, William K.
*Horne, Carl D.
Hussey, Wayne T.

Johnson, Albert E.
Johnson, Elwyn D.
Johnson, Richard H.
Johnston, Earl J.
Johnston, Russell

Kallis, Bertram L.
Kallis, Leonard W.
Kimball, Donald K.

Leighton, Donald J.
Leighton, James W.
Leighton, Lesley C.
Leighton, Mary E.
Littlefield, Milton
Lovely, Richard L.

Maasen, John H., Jr.
Marshall, Joel Y.
Marshall, Sumner B.
Martel, Raymond J.
Matheson, John N.
Merrill, Althea
Merrill, Charles M.
Merrill, Lucy
Merrill, Marjorie
Morey, Clayton R.
Morrill, Austin P.
Morrill, Lawrence E.
Morrill, Roger L.
Morse, Harold A., Jr.

Poole, Ernest B.
Poole, Ralph M., Jr.

Richards, Carl E.
Ricker, Colby N.
Ridley, Russell J.
Roberts, George R.
Roberts, Wallace E.

Sawyer, Bernard C.
Smilie, Elwyn J.
Smilie, Everett B.
Smilie, Kendall R.
Spence, Ralph G., Jr.
Stevens, Carroll F., Jr.
Stone, Willard B.

Tebbetts, Fred G.
Tebbetts, Ralph J.
Thompson, Donald F.
Thompson, Irving F.
Thompson, Margaret L.
Thompson, Sumner F.
Turner, Gordon A.

Wallingford, Kenneth C.
Weymouth, Milton W., Jr.
Wilson, Douglas E.
Wilson, Willis M.

Yates, Irving, Jr.
Yates, Raymond S.
Yates, Robert E.

*—Deceased.

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Homer E. Crooker Agency

General Insurance

WE SELL COMPLETE FAMILY
AND
PROPERTY PROTECTION

Agents
New York Life Insurance Co.

100 Main St., Tel. 122, Springvale, Me.
24 Mechanic St., Tel. 90, Sanford, Me.

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Annual Report

of the

TOWN OFFICERS

of the

Town of ALFRED, MAINE

For the Year Ending
FEBRUARY 11, 1946

THE LINCOLN PRESS, SANFORD, MAINE
1946

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

FINANCIAL CONDITION

and the

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

of the

Town of ALFRED, MAINE

TOGETHER WITH THE REPORTS OF

Selectmen, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Superintendent of Schools, High School Principal, Supervisor of Music, Alfred Fire Department, Directors and Librarian of Parsons Memorial Library

For the Year Ending February 11,

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TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk

DUDLEY T. FORREST

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

FREDERICK H. JONES PERCY F. MORRILL
JOHN E. ROBERTS

Superintending School Committee

ELIZABETH A. BEALS
EMERY S. LITTLEFIELD, JR.
JAMES E. BRIGGS

Superintendent of Schools

MAYNARD E. WRIGHT

Treasurer

JAMES W. PLUMMER

Road Commissioners

THOMAS J. SCOTT HAROLD HALL

Tax Collector

WARREN A. SAYWARD

Health Officer and School Nurse

KATHRYN S. RICHARDS, R. N.

Constable

DUDLEY T. FORREST

Directors Parsons Memorial Library

CHARLES L. STEVENS HERBERT B. FERNALD
HATTIE E. CLARK MARION E. HEWEY
MARY C. EMERSON DAVID H. WILSON

REPORT OF
BUDGET MEETING FEBRUARY 23, 1946

$ 500.00	For Fire Department.
150.00	For Fire Hose.
1,600.00	For water Service and a guarantee of adequate supply of water for fire protection at school building.
25.00	For Park and Fountain.
300.00	For Discounts and Abatements.
600.00	For Street Lights.
1,500.00	For Highways and Bridges.
2,500.00	For Incidentals.
600.00	For Insurance.

Recommended that the town raise the sum of money that the State compels for State Aid Highways.

Recommended that maintenance of Third Class Roads ride until a later date.

Voted that money be used, that the State holds for Third Class Roads and raise the sum of $533.00 for construction of Third Class Road known as Gore Road.

Voted that we use all money available that State now holds for Gile Road, and to raise $500.00 for continuous.

To see if the town will raise a sum of money to repair and tar road from Embroidery Mill to Sam Thing's and include the road from Percy Morrill's to State Aid Road in front of Grange Hall.

To see if the town will raise a sum of money to repair and tar road from Oak Street to Old Depot.

3,000.00	For Opening Roads in Winter.
500.00	For Parsons Memorial Library and $150.00 of this amount be used in purchasing books.
100.00	For Public Health Nurse.
25.00	For Public Health Officer.
	Voted to drop appropriation for School Nurse.
	Recommended, that $1,000.00 plus the balance from Repairs of School, including plumbing, heating and septic tank, be raised for repairs of school.
12,000.00	For Support of School.
	Appropriation for Support of Poor be dropped.
	War Veterans Aid Account be dropped.
400.00	For Cutting Bushes.
	To see if the town will raise a sum of money to repair and tar road from Kennebunk Road to Swett's Bridge.

DUDLEY T. FORREST,
Clerk.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

For the Municipal Year Ending February 11, 1946

Appropriated to Defray Town Expenses, State and County Taxes, Etc.

Alfred Fire Department	$ 500.00
Alfred Fire Department, new hose	150.00

Alfred Water Company, hydrant rental	1,600.00
Care of Fountain and Park	25.00
Cutting Bushes	400.00
Discounts and Abatements	300.00
Electric Street Lights	600.00
Highways and Bridges	1,500.00
Incidentals	2,500.00
Insurance on town property (not including school property)	600.00
Maintenance of State Aid Highways	759.00
Maintenance of Third Class Roads	472.00
Opening Roads in Winter	2,000.00
Parsons Memorial Library	350.00
Public Health Nurse	75.00
Public Health Officer	25.00
School Nurse	25.00
Repairs, Equipment and Insurance of Schools	2,000.00
Support of Poor	200.00
Support of Schools	13,000.00
Special Account, work to be done in School Basement	500.00
Special Account, Sewage, Water and Heat at School	5,000.00
Veterans' Aid Account	300.00
Total Appropriation	$32,881.00
State Tax	$ 4,274.33
County Tax	770.42
Overlay	1,061.51
Total to be Assessed	$38,987.26
Excise Tax for 1944	$ 588.17
208 Polls for 1945	624.00

Surplus carried from 1944-45	5,946.98	
		7,159.15
To be Assessed by Property Tax		$31,828.11

Valuation

Real Estate, Resident	$312,226.00
Real Estate, Non-Resident	65,437.00
Personal Estate, Resident	47,282.50
Personal Estate, Non-Resident	50,100.85
Total Valuation	$475,046.35

Tax Rate .067

PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION 1945

Owned by Veterans and Veterans' Widows	$5,250.00	
Exempt by Vote of Town:		
Alfred Water Company	1,290.00	
Owned by Town of Alfred (see detail later in report)	690.00	
Owned by United States Forestry Service	18,862.00	
		$26,092.00

INCIDENTAL EXPENSES

Appropriated			$2,500.00
Paid 1945:			
Mar. 10	Lincoln Press, printing town Reports	144.00	
Mar. 10	Kenneth Yates, sand	2.00	
Mar. 10	Margaret Hardy, ballot clerk	5.00	
Mar. 10	Mary C. Kelley, ballot clerk	5.00	
Mar. 10	Axel Erlandson, moderator	10.00	
Mar. 10	Percey F. Morrill, stamps	5.00	
Mar. 23	Marks Printing House, supplies	33.10	
Apr. 7	Leavitt Insurance Agency, Treasurer's Bond	10.00	
Apr. 7	John G. Smith, discharging liens	4.50	
Apr. 7	Leavitt Insurance Agency, Collector's Bond	10.00	
Apr. 7	Lincoln Press, Ballots	16.00	
Apr. 7	Gordon Turner, watching fire at dump	2.00	
Apr. 7	Stanley Daney, watching fire at dump	2.00	
Apr. 7	Warren Stevens, watching fire at dump	1.50	
Apr. 7	Milton Littlefield, watching fire at dump	1.50	
Apr. 21	Frank C. Lander, abstracts of real estate conveyance	14.00	
May 5	Maine Municipal Association, membership fee	35.00	
May 5	Central Maine Power Company, town hall lights	5.60	
May 5	George Crediford, care of		

	dump	7.50
May 18	S. J. Nowell, hose for dump	6.50
June 1	Frederick H. Jones, three months' salary as Selectman	50.00
June 1	George Crediford, care of town dump	9.00
June 1	Buxton Milling Co., repairs for Town Hall	1.69
June 18	Lincoln Press, tax bills and envelopes	10.65
June 18	Walter Davis, flags for soldiers' graves and placing same	12.10
June 18	Cheslie Flanders, refund of taxes paid 1938-43 on property not owned by him	59.20
June 29	Central Maine Power Company, town hall lights	2.70
June 29	Dudley Forrest, attendance officer	3.00
June 29	George Crediford, care of town dump	10.50
June 29	Sanford Trust Company, check books	3.71
June 29	Register of Deeds, recording liens	8.50
July 20	Frederick A. Hobbs, Esquire, legal services 2/26/45 to 7/6/45	129.75
July 20	Lincoln Press, real estate tax bills	6.75
July 20	Marcia E. Shaw, clerical work on 1945 Town Report	40.00
July 20	Marcia E. Shaw, copying Assessors' Book 1945	50.00
Aug. 2	George Crediford, care of	

	town dump	10.00
Aug. 17	Kenneth Yates, gravel for dump	25.50
Aug. 17	Frederick H. Jones, trip to Augusta	9.80
Aug. 31	Marks Printing House, supplies	4.04
Aug. 31	Marks Printing House, supplies	5.70
Aug. 31	George Crediford, care of town dump	10.00
Aug. 31	Frederick H. Jones, part salary as Selectman	50.00
Sept. 14	American Bitumuls Company, 1,000 gallons of tar for Depot Street	130.00
Sept. 14	Marcia E. Shaw, balance of Collector's salary	25.71
Sept. 14	Percy F. Morrill, part salary as Selectman	25.00
Oct. 2	Loring, Short & Harmon, Army and Navy discharge book	13.50
Oct. 2	Fred L. Tower Co., Maine Register	7.00
Oct. 8	Central Maine Power Co., town hall lights	3.10
Oct. 8	George Crediford, care of town dump	10.00
Oct. 22	Marks Printing House, supplies	2.05
Oct. 22	Kenneth E. Yates, wood for town hall	4.50
Nov. 5	Marks Printing House, supplies	1.35
Nov. 5	New England Tel. & Tel.	

		Co.	.75
Nov.	19	George Crediford, care of town dump	10.00
Dec.	4	Treasurer of State, audit of books	94.18
Dec.	17	Roscoe C. Butler, sealer of weights and measures	5.00
Dec.	17	Central Maine Power Company, town hall lights	.90
1946			
Jan.	2	George Crediford, care of town dump	15.00
Jan.	2	Walter Davis, repainting and lettering signs	15.00
Jan.	14	John G. Smith, discharging liens	1.59
Jan.	14	Harry R. Johnson, watching fire	5.00
Jan.	14	Cecil Ricker, watching fire	5.00
Jan.	28	J. W. Plummer, postage and telephone	21.93
Jan.	28	J. W. Plummer, Treasurer's salary	150.00
Jan.	28	J. W. Plummer, attesting liens	13.50
Jan.	28	J. W. Plummer, labor on town clock	25.00
Jan.	28	Lincoln Press, nomination blanks	15.75
Jan.	28	Marks Printing House, supplies	7.50
Jan.	28	Forrest Clark, labor at town hall	4.50
Jan.	28	Frederick H. Jones, balance of salary as Selectman	100.00
Jan.	28	Frederick H. Jones, stamps	

		and supplies	1.05
Jan.	28	Percy F. Morrill, balance of salary as Selectman	150.00
Jan.	28	John E. Roberts, salary as Selectman	150.00
Feb.	11	Marcia E. Shaw, clerical work 1946	50.00
Feb.	11	John A. Roberts, supplies	2.15
Feb.	11	Elmer H. Goodrich, Jr., shoveling hydrants	4.00
Feb.	11	W. I. Mack, care of town hall	7.20
Feb.	11	T. J. Scott, salary as Fire warden	25.00
Feb.	11	Dudley Forrest, salary as Town Clerk	50.00
Feb.	11	Dudley Forrest, salary as Dog Constable	18.00
Feb.	11	Emery S. Littlefield, Jr., School Committee	10.00
Feb.	11	Elizabeth Beals, School Committee	10.00
Feb.	11	Malcolm Roberts, School Committee	10.00
Feb.	11	James Briggs, School Committee	10.00
Feb.	11	W. A. Sayward, pay for collecting excise tax	75.00
Feb.	11	W. A. Sayward, salary as Tax Collector	220.14
Feb.	11	W. A. Sayward, postage on polls	6.14
Feb.	11	W. A. Sayward, postage on real and personal taxes	13.60
Feb.	11	W. A. Sayward, correspondence	4.25
Feb.	11	W. A. Sayward, telephone	1.15

Feb. 11	Lincoln Press, supplies for Clerk	20.00	
Feb. 11	Frederick A. Hobbs, legal services to 2/12/46	94.18	
Feb. 11	H. J. Kelley, salary as Collector (back taxes)	4.75	
Feb. 11	D. T. Forrest, vital statistics	14.25	
Feb. 11	D. T. Forrest, postage and telephone	11.77	
Feb. 11	Transferred to School Account (Superintendent's Salary)	320.83	
	White Mountain National Forest Reserve		29.05
	Rental of Town Hall		15.00
	Interest on War Bond		6.25
	State of Maine Bank Stock Tax		30.99
	Interest on War Bond		6.25
	State of Maine, dog license refund		44.29
	State of Maine, Railroad, Telegraph and Telephone Tax		50.73
	Homer E. Crooker, advertisement in 1945 Town Report		15.00
	Massabesic Experimental Forest		14.85
	Overdraft		116.65
		$2,829.06	$2,829.06

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Appropriated $1,500.00

Harold Hall

1945				
Mar.	23	Payroll No. 1	$ 54.50	
Apr.	7	Payroll No. 2	39.90	
Apr.	7	Payroll No. 2	133.45	
Apr.	21	Payroll No. 3	116.40	
May	18	Payroll No. 4	22.55	
June	18	Payroll No. 5	31.60	
July	20	Payroll No. 6	18.00	
Aug.	2	Payroll	58.95	
Aug.	2	Payroll	80.20	
Aug.	17	Payroll	17.40	
Sept.	14	Payroll	48.80	
1946				
Feb.	11	Payroll	10.50	
		Total	$ 632.25	

Thomas Scott

1945				
Apr.	7	Payroll	$ 57.70	
Apr.	7	Payroll	117.70	
Aug.	2	Payroll	81.50	
Aug.	2	Payroll	140.00	
Aug.	2	Payroll	162.00	
Aug.	2	Payroll	39.00	
Nov.	19	Payroll No. 9	77.00	
Nov.	19	Payroll No. 10	142.50	
Dec.	4	Payroll	67.20	
		Total	$ 884.60	
		Overdraft		16.85
			$1,516.85	$1,516.85

RURAL ROADS—SPECIAL STATE FUND

The Town of Alfred was entitled to $550.00, State Funds, to be used for improvement of Rural Roads. The amount expended under these provisions will be refunded by the State Highway Department.

1945			
Oct. 22	Harold Hall, Payroll	$ 298.13	
	Overdraft (to be refunded)		$ 298.13

OPENING ROADS IN WINTER

Appropriated $2,000.00

Repairs on Tractor

1945		
Mar. 10	Clark-Wilcox Co., tractor parts	$ 55.60
Apr. 7	Boston & Maine Railroad, freight on tractor parts	3.31
May 18	Clark-Wilcox Co., tractor parts	170.40
Dec. 17	Eastern Tractor Company, repairs	3.90
Dec. 17	Eastern Tractor Company, repairs	36.26
Dec. 17	Eastern Tractor Company, repairs	86.69
Dec. 4	Thomas J. Scott, parts for tractor	20.65
Jan. 2	Eastern Tractor Company,	

	parts for tractor	9.81
Jan. 14	Clark's Garage, repairs on tractor	204.00
Feb. 11	E. C. Ricker & Sons, repairs on tractor	2.44
	Total Repairs on Tractor one-half carried to each account	$ 593.06

Leland Gile

1945		
Feb. 24	Payroll	$ 45.60
Mar. 10	Plummer's Garage, gas for tractor	7.00
Mar. 10	Payroll	71.80
Mar. 10	Harold Hall, gas for tractor	7.00

Harold Hall

Apr. 7	Payroll No. 1	35.80
Aug. 2	Harold Hall, gas and oil	4.14
Oct. 8	W. H. Shurtleff Co., salt for stock pile (one-half to each account)	27.75
Nov. 19	Payroll No. 2	192.90
Dec. 4	Payroll No. 3	184.73
1946		
Jan. 2	Payroll No. 4	46.00
Jan. 2	Payroll No. 5	84.90
Jan. 2	Payroll No. 6	106.65
Jan. 14	Thomas Scott, storage of tractor (one-half to each account)	60.00
Jan. 28	Payroll No. 7	30.20
Jan. 28	Payroll No. 8	49.35
Jan. 28	Payroll No. 9	303.45

Feb.	11	Payroll	143.72
Feb.	11	Payroll	40.20
Feb.	11	Billings' Garage, gas for tractor	3.27
		One-half cost of repairs on tractor	296.53
		Total	$1,740.99

Thomas Scott

1945			
Apr.	7	Payroll	$ 23.20
Apr.	7	Payroll	99.30
Apr.	7	Snow Fence removal	20.00
June	2	E. C. Ricker & Sons, gas for tractor	20.15
Aug.	2	E. C. Ricker & Sons, gas for tractor	17.20
Aug.	2	Thomas Scott, supplies for tractor	70.73
Aug.	2	Clark's Garage, gas for tractor	17.55
Oct.	8	W. H. Shurtleff Company, salt for stock pile (one-half to each account)	27.75
Dec.	4	Snow Fence	47.30
Dec.	4	Plowing snow	56.80
1946			
Jan.	14	Payroll	81.40
Jan.	14	Payroll	86.30
Jan.	14	Payroll	35.00
Jan.	14	Thomas J. Scott, supplies for tractor	51.20
Jan.	14	Thomas J. Scott, storage of tractor (one-half to each account)	60.00

Jan. 14	Bracy's Garage, gas and oil for tractor	8.37	
Jan. 28	Payroll	220.31	
Jan. 28	Payroll	27.99	
Jan. 28	Thomas J. Scott, gas for tractor	17.13	
Feb. 11	Bracy's Garage, gas for tractor	6.20	
	One-half cost of repairs on tractor	296.53	
	Total	$1,290.41	
	State Treasurer, refund from Highway Department		773.00
	Overdraft		258.40
		$3,031.40	$3,031.40

MAINTENANCE OF STATE AID HIGHWAY

Appropriated $ 759.00

1945

Oct. 22	State Highway Department, Maintenance of State Aid Road	$ 126.00	
	Balance due State Highway Department	633.00	
		$ 759.00	$ 759.00

A bill for $800.70 was approved and paid after the books were closed, and will appear in the 1947 report.

CONSTRUCTION OF STATE AID HIGHWAY

Brought forward from previous years		$ 729.75
Balance to be carried to 1946-47	$ 729.75	

MAINTENANCE OF THIRD CLASS ROAD

Brought forward from previous years			$ 874.12
Appropriated for year 1945			472.00
1945			
May 18	Harold Hall, Payroll	$ 160.35	
June 18	Harold Hall, Payroll	68.70	
Aug. 17	Koppers Co., Inc., tar	275.31	
1946			
Jan. 14	State Highway Commission Third Class Reconstruction (this sum, $588.88 is to be refunded by State Highway Department)	588.88	
	Balance to be carried to 1946-47	252.88	
		$1,346.12	$1,346.12

CUTTINB BUSHES STATE ROADS

Brought forward from previous years		$ 200.00
Balance to be carried to 1946-47	$ 200.00	

CUTTING BUSHES

Appropriated			$ 400.00
June 18	Harold Hall, cutting bushes	$ 9.60	
July 20	Harold Hall, Payroll No. 1	27.45	
July 20	Harold Hall, Payroll No. 2	41.20	
Aug. 17	Harold Hall, Payroll	12.00	
Sept. 14	Harold Hall, Payroll	53.60	
	Unexpended balance to Surplus	256.15	
		$ 400.00	$ 400.00

SUPPORT OF POOR

Appropriated		$ 200.00
Received from State, refund of expense incurred for the last illness and burial of Alonzo Ross, 1942-43		169.50
Unexpended balance to Surplus	369.50	
	$ 369.50	$ 369.50

WAR VETERANS' ACCOUNT

Appropriated			$ 300.00
1945			
May 5	Robert T. Hardy, three loads edgings for C. Bracy	12.00	
	Unexpended balance to Surplus	288.00	
		$ 300.00	$ 300.00

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Appropriated				$ 75.00
1945				
Oct. 22	Arthur Lougee, Treasurer York County Health Association, Public Health Nurse	$ 75.00		

PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICER

Appropriated				$ 25.00
1946				
Feb. 11	Paid Kathryn Richards, R. N., salary	$ 25.00		

SCHOOL NURSE

Appropriated				$ 25.00
1946				
Feb. 11	Paid Kathryn Richards, R. N., salary	$ 25.00		

ALFRED WATER COMPANY

Hydrant Rental

Appropriated				$1,600.00
1945				
Aug. 31	Alfred Water Co., part hy-			

		drant rental	$ 800.00	
1946				
Jan.	2	Alfred Water Co., balance hydrant rental	800.00	
			$1,600.00	$1,600.00

ALFRED FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriated				$ 500.00
May	5	Eastern Fire Equipment, supplies for pumper	3.66	
Nov.	5	Alfred Fire Department, balance due on appropriation ($500.00 less overdraft in 1944)	451.11	
		Balance to surplus to cover overdraft in 1944	48.89	
		Overdraft for current year		3.66
			$ 503.66	$ 503.66

ALFRED FIRE DEPARTMENT

Purchase of Fire Hose

Appropriated				$ 150.00
1945				
Feb.	11	Paid Appropriation	150.00	

INSURANCE ON TOWN PROPERTY

Appropriated				$ 600.00
1945				
Apr. 21	Homer E. Crooker, insurance	$	489.03	
May 18	Homer E. Crooker, insurance on fire truck and employees		32.15	
June 1	Homer E. Crooker, insurance on property held under liens		9.04	
June 18	Homer E. Crooker, insurance		55.97	
July 20	Homer E. Crooker, insurance on tractor snow plow		51.75	
Dec. 17	Homer E. Crooker, insurance on tractor and employees		10.75	
	Overdraft			48.69
		$	648.69	$ 648.69

ELECTRIC STREET LIGHTS

Appropriated		$ 600.00
Paid Central Maine Power Co.	554.76	
Unexpended balance to Surplus	45.24	
	$ 600.00	$ 600.00

CARE OF FOUNTAIN AND PARK

Appropriated			$	25.00
1946				
Feb. 11	W. I. Mack, care of park	25.00		
		$ 25.00	$	25.00

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Appropriated			$	350.00
1946				
Jan. 14	Parsons Memorial Library, appropriation	350.00		
		$ 350.00	$	350.00

SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS

Unexpended balance from 1944-45	$ 612.05
Appropriated for Support of Schools	13,000.00
Appropriated for Repairs, Equipment and Insurance of Schools	2,000.00
Appropriated for work in School Basement	500.00
Appropriated for Sewage, Water and Heat at School	5,000.00
Received from Leslie Ward, payment for lock at school house	3.00
Received from Ralph Littlefield, tui-	

tion			21 00
Received from State School Fund			3,880.93
Received from Ralph Littlefield, tuition			15.00
Received from Henry Brock, tuition			15.00
Received refund for putty			.50
Transferred from Incidentals for Superintendent's salary			320.83
Paid out for School Payrolls 1 to 25 inclusive, to and including February 11, 1945		20,898.19	
Unexpended balance		4,470.12	
Support of Schools	$2,327.44		
Repairs, Equipment and Insurance of Schools	269.12		
Plumbing Account	1,870.17		
Work in School Basement Account	3.39		
	$4,470.12		
		$25,368.31	$25,368.31

LOAN IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES

1945			
May 15	Borrowed from Sanford Institution for Savings		$4,000.00
Aug. 31	Paid above note	$4,000.00	

INNTEREST ON LOAN IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES

1945			
Sept. 14	Paid Sanford Institution for Savings	$ 37.00	
	Overdraft (no appropriation)		$ 37.00

DISCOUNTS AND ABATEMENTS

Appropriated			$ 300.00
Discounts on 1945 Taxes		$ 365.21	
1945			
Feb. 24	Nine 1939 Polls	27.00	
July 12	Two 1944 Polls	6.00	
July 12	Personal Tax 1944	18.00	
July 12	Real Estate Tax 1944	19.50	
Aug. 21	Personal Tax 1945	24.15	
Oct. 22	Seven 1943 Polls	21.00	
Oct. 22	Personal Tax 1943	1.60	
Oct. 22	Two 1942 Polls	6.00	
	Overdraft		188.46
		$ 488.46	$ 488.46

STATE TAX

Assessment			$4,274.33
1945			
Sept. 14	Joseph H. McGillicuddy, State Treasurer	4,274.33	

COUNTY TAX

Assessment		$ 770.42
1945		
Aug. 31 Gladys Merrill, County Treasurer	$ 770.42	

OVERLAY

Assessed according to law		$1,061.51
Overdrafts:		
Incidental Expenses	$ 116.65	
Highways and Bridges	16.85	
Rural Roads, Special State Fund	298.13	
Opening Roads in Winter	258.40	
Alfred Fire Department	3.66	
Insurance on Town Property	48.69	
Interest on Loan in Anticipation of Taxes	37.00	
Discounts and Abatements	188.46	
Unexpended balance to Surplus	93.67	
	$1,061.51	$1,061.51

PROPERTY OWNED BY TOWN OF ALFRED

No Tax Assessed

	No. of Acres	Valuation
Athlétic Field	9	$ 270.00
Town Dump	1	50.00

Daniel Shackley Meadow	2	10.00
A. E. Jacobs Lot	1	50.00
Lot transferred from H. Dube in 1940	3	50.00
Half of Jewett Mill Privilege	¼	10.00
Noah Robinson Meadow	2	20.00
Meadow held on tax liens of Moses D. Moulton and Arthur W. Whitcomb	3	60.00
Lot transferred from John Robbins in 1944	9	90.00
Lot transferred from John Robbins in 1944	8	80.00
		$ 690.00

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1934

Held by Town

Fenwick, John	$ 67.94	
		$ 67.94

†No interest included after June 1935.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1936

Held by Town

Berg, Arthur K. Estate	$ 10.94	
Boston, Herman	.94	
Robbins, John	9.31	
		$ 21.19

†No interest included after March 1937.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1937

Held by Town

Berg, Arthur K. Estate	$ 10.49	
Robbins, John	8.92	
		$ 19.41

†No interest included after February 1938.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1938

Held by Town

Nowell, Ralph E.	$ 5.90	
Robbins, John	10.20	
Thyng, Guy	3.00	
		$ 19.10

†No interest included after March 1939.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1939

Held by Town

Boston, Herman	$ 14.54
Cluff, Charles	66.14
McDonald, Idella	4.14
Robbins, John	9.37

Thyng, Guy	2.76	
		$ 96.95

†No interest included after March 1940.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1940

Held by Town

Boston, Herman E.	$ 17.40	
Cluff, Charles H. Estate	69.55	
Flanders, Cheslie	11.60	
Nowell, Ralph E.	5.80	
Robbins, John	9.84	
		$ 114.19

†No interest included after April 1941.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1941

Held by Town

Boston, Herman	$ 17.05	
Cluff, Charles H. Estate	68.15	
Crane, Mrs. Charles	122.28	
Drown, Orrin Heirs	6.83	
Fenwick, John	28.40	
Nowell, Ralph E.	5.69	
Robbins, John	9.66	
		$ 258.06

†No interest included after March 1942.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1942

Held by Town

Cluff, Charles H. Estate	$	85.27
Crane, Mrs. Charles		152.78
Fenwick, John		35.53
Hussey, Charles H.		7.11
McDonald, Idella		5.30
Nowell, Ralph E.		7.05
Robbins, John		12.11
Smith, George H. Heirs		21.23
	$	326.38

†No interest included after May 1943.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1943

Held by Town

Allaire, Wilfred	$	13.31
Boston, Herman D.		19.96
Crane, Mrs. Charles Estate		143.12
Fenwick, John		33.28
Flanders, Cheslie		13.31
McDonald, Idella		5.10
Nowell, Ralph		6.66
Paul, Esther D.		4.66
	$	239.40

†No interest included after May 1944.

These tax liens are resources held by the Town and not shown in the Treasurer's Report.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK H. JONES,

PERCY F. MORRILL,

JOHN E. ROBERTS.

SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Resources

	Elementary	Secondary	
Balance, February, 1945		$ 612.05	
Appropriation, March, 1945			13,000.00
State School Fund			3,880.93
Elementary Tuition:			
Ralph W. Littlefield	$ 36.00		
Henry W. Brock	15.00	51.00	
Total Resources			$17,543.98

Expenditures

	Elementary	Secondary	
Teachers	$ 5,964.97	$ 3,607.05	
Fuel	399.79	309.81	
Janitor Service	787.50	508.00	
Conveyance	2,477.28		
Text Books	242.19	270.09	
Supplies	355.02	294.84	
	$10,226.75	$ 4,989.79	
Total Expenditures			$15,216.54
Balance, February, 1946			2,327.44
			$17,543.98

EXPENDITURES ITEMIZED

Teachers

	Elementary	Secondary	
Josephine D. Gould	$1,108.99		
Dorothy W. DeBertram	1,108.30		
Celia M. Day	1,131.90		
Beatrice L. Clark	1,100.65		
Hattie E. Clark	1,120.79		
Alice Morey	66.66		
Mary E. Wright (Clerk)	33.32		
Helen L. Lewis	12.50		
Marcia W. Shaw	29.86	$ 39.82	
Helen M. Dolley	252.00	72.00	
Dorothy L. Marshall		598.85	
Charles P. Steward		888.88	
Miriam B. Moody		907.50	
Malcolm W. Roberts		1,100.00	
	$5,964.97	$3,607.05	
Total			$9,572.02

Fuel

	Elementary	Secondary	
Shepard & Morse Lumber Co.	$ 18.00	$ 18.00	
H. Alberta Roberts	375.79	285.81	
Robert T. Hardy	6.00	6.00	
	$ 399.79	$ 309.81	
Total			$ 709.60

Janitor Service

	Elementary	Secondary	
Everett Kimball	$ 245.00	$ 175.00	
William R. Hayes	288.00	180.00	
Lewis Henderson	229.00	140.00	
Kenneth E. Yates	25.50	13.00	
	$ 787.50	$ 508.00	
Total			$1,295.50

Conveyance

	Elementary	Secondary	
Leavitt Ins. Agency	$ 73.78		
Harold Hall	1,011.00		
Maynard Clough	40.00		
Elwin Morey	150.00		
Roscoe Hussey	1,202.50		
Total			$2,477.28

Text Books

	Elementary	Secondary
Scott, Foresman & Co.	$ 21.00	
The L. W. Singer Co.	15.05	
Loring, Short & Harmon	3.50	
Paull - Pioneering Music Co.	15.40	
American Ed. Press, Inc.	9.00	
World Book Co.	18.13	
American Book Co.	100.36	23.45
Ginn & Co.	34.56	75.13
The Arlo Publishing Co.	25.19	7.15
Allyn & Bacon		3.13
The Macmillan Co.		5.20

The Boston Music Co.		2.18
Thomas Y. Crowell Co.		1.67
Houghton Mifflin Co.		2.34
The Big Three Music Corp.		12.60
The John C. Winston Co.		39.49
Silver Burdett Co.		5.56
Boston Herald-Trav. Corp.		6.30
Frontier Press Co.		3.59
The National Geographic Society		3.50
The Grolier Society, Inc.		67.30
Life		4.50
Fred L. Tower Companies		7.00
	$ 242.19	$ 270.09
Total		$ 512.28

Supplies

	Elementary	Secondary
F. G. Congdon	$.76	
State of Maine	4.00	
Rand & McNally Co.	10.19	
Gledhill Bros., Inc.	9.96	
Boston Janitors Supply Co.	12.24	
Visual School Report Co.	10.92	
Ernest G. Knights	1.40	
Floor-Shine Wax Co.	26.03	17.45
Whitcomb Supply Co.	5.74	5.00
Thomas B. Tupper	30.00	15.00
Loring, Short & Harmon	46.41	29.80
John A. Roberts	12.67	5.80
The New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	28.25	28.46
Central Maine Power Co.	70.60	50.25
Berry Paper Co.	30.69	16.64

C. B. Dolge Co.	25.70	15.25	
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	20.51	16.97	
J. L. Hammatt Co.	2.14	8.70	
Ginn & Co.	3.48	1.40	
Maynard E. Wright	3.33	2.00	
Roberts Office Supply Co.		2.00	
Cambosco Scientific Co.		80.12	
	$ 355.02	$ 294.84	
Total			$ 649.86

SEWAGE, WATER AND HEAT ACCOUNT

Appropriation, March, 1945 $5,000.00

Expenditures

	Elementary	Secondary	
Stilphen Engineering Co.	$25.00		
Carl Clark	200.00	125.00	
E. Nolet	200.00	70.00	
Forrest Clark	260.43	120.00	
William W. Leighton	1,500.00	629.40	
	$2,185.43	$ 944.40	
Total Expenditures			$3,129.83
Balance, February, 1946			1,870.17
			$5,000.00

LUNCH ROOM ACCOUNT

Appropriation, March, 1945		$ 500.00

Expenditures

	Elementary	Secondary	
Rolsom Bros.	$ 65.02		
L. S. Bradford	4.40		
Shepard & Morse Lumber Co.	11.39		
Forrest Clark	89.01	20.00	
Springvale Hardware Co.	7.00	1.98	
Brown's Planing Mill	18.73	4.00	
N. J. Gendron Lumber Co.	100.00	36.08	
Carl N. Hanson	119.00	20.00	
	$ 414.55	$ 82.06	
Total Expenditures			$ 496.61
Balance, February, 1946			3.39
			$ 500.00

REPAIRS ACCOUNT

Resources

Appropriation, March, 1945	$2,000.00	
Reimbursement for broken lock	3.00	
Sale of putty	.50	
Total Resources		$2,003.50

Expenditures

	Elementary	Secondary
Moulton Lumber Co.	$ 2.25	
S. J. Nowell	4.83	
N. J. Gendron Lumber Co.	2.95	
J. W. Plummer	6.00	
Homer E. Crooker Agency	102.29	100.00
Burgess, Fobes Co.	82.95	66.10
Sanford Tribune & Advocate	4.00	3.84
King & Dexter Co.	8.78	5.00
John A. Roberts	105.26	21.01
Boston Janitors' Supply Co.	7.00	5.00
M. F. Bragdon Paint Co.	27.50	16.82
Wilfred E. Boulet	525.00	200.00
Carl N. Hanson	179.20	86.00
Springvale Hardware Co.	20.78	10.00
Kenneth E. Yates	10.00	9.50
Forrest Clark	10.00	7.25
L. S. Bradford	15.10	5.00
C. Smith & Corona Typewriters, Inc.		17.50
S. B. Emery Co.		8.15
Cambosco Scientific Co.		36.82
Kenney & Frost		22.50
	$1,113.89	$ 620.49

Total Expenditures	$1,734.38
Balance, February, 1946	269.12
	$2,003.50

SUPERINTENDENCE ACCOUNT

Appropriation (Incidental Account), March 1945	$ 320.83
Paid Maynard E. Wright	$ 320.83

SUMMARY

Resources

Schools	$17,543.98
Repairs	2,003.50
Sewage, Water and Heat	5,000.00
Lunch Room	500.00
Superintendence	320.83
Total Resources for all School Purposes	$25,368.31

Expenditures

Schools	$15,216.54
Repairs	1,734.38
Sewage, Water and Heat	3,129.83
Lunch Room	496.61
Superintendence	320.83
Total Expenditures for all School Purposes	$20,898.19
Balance, February, 1946	4,470.12
	$25,368.31

DOG LICENSES

Number of Dogs	89	
Males	63	
Females	4	
Spayed Females	22	
Amount Collected		$ 101.00
Paid Secretary of Agriculture		$ 101.00

Respectfully submitted,
DUDLEY T. FORREST,
Town Clerk.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT, 1945

Commitment Property Tax	$31,828.11	
Commitment Poll Tax	624.00	
		$32,452.11
Supplemental Property Tax	$ 61.98	
Supplemental Poll Tax	6.00	
		$ 67.98
Interest Collected 9/1/45 to 2/10/46		117.64
		$32,637.73
Paid Treasurer	$31,445.87	
Discounts allowed according to vote	362.31	
Abatements allowed by Assessors	13.43	
		$31,821.61
Uncollected Resident Taxes	$ 423.54	

Uncollected Non-Resident Taxes	382.58	
		$ 806.12
		$32,627.73

UNCOLLECTED POLLS

Robert Dewitt	$ 3.00	
James Pender	3.00	
		$ 6.00

UNCOLLECTED RESIDENT TAXES REAL AND PERSONAL

Charles H. Burns	$ 42.21	
C. Edwin and Phyllis Butler	105.53	
Herbert Chadbourne	62.06	
Lloyd Davis	7.03	
William Demelle	30.15	
Carl Eagle	3.35	
Elmer Goodrich	1.68	
Harold Leach	58.63	
Delbert Moody	6.70	
Alfred A. Wilson	5.03	
Mrs. Ruth Wilson	101.17	
		$ 423.54

UNCOLLECTED NON-RESIDENT TAXES

Mrs. Malverta Allen	$ 18.76
Herman Boston	20.10
Mrs. Angelina Brown	33.50
Mrs. Charles Crane	144.05
Hermel Dube	20.10
†Edward Emery	5.03
John Fenwick	33.50
Mrs. Ethel Littlefield	44.89
Estate of J. H. Makin	10.39
Ralph Nowell	6.70
Willard Paul	4.69
Jennie Ricker	6.36
George Robinson	12.73
Theodore Porier	16.75
	$ 382.58

†Paid after books closed.

Respectfully submitted,

W.A.SAYWARD,

Tax Collector.

COLLECTOR'S FINAL REPORT FOR 1944 TAXES

As of February 10, 1945, There Were Outstanding

Uncollected Polls	$ 6.00
Uncollected Resident Real and Per-	

sonal Taxes		840.57	
Uncollected Non-Resident Real and Personal Taxes		618.21	
			$1,464.78
Plus Interest Collected 2/10 to 6/30/45			13.72
Supplemental Taxes Collected			13.80
			$1,492.30
Abatements allowed by Assessors		$ 87.72	
Ralph Nichols, paid in Hiram	3.00		
Benjamin Bickford, moved away, poll and personal tax of $3.00	6.00		
Chesley Flanders, did not own real estate covered	12.00		
Idella MacDonald, did not own real estate	4.50		
Carl Eagle, did not own real estate	3.00		
Roland Patry, did not own real estate covered	32.22		
Lydia Tanguay, had sold property, tax paid as supplemental	12.00		
	$87.72		
†Liens filed with Registrar of Probate		821.52	
Treasurer's Receipts since 2/10/45		583.06	
			$1,492.30

†The face value of liens for 1944 handed to the Town Treasurer actually amounted to $862.60 as follows:

Original Taxes covered	$ 821.52	
Interest on same 9/1/44 to 6/30/45	41.08	
		$ 862.60

MARCIA E. SHAW,

Collector for 1944

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES FOR 1938

Philip Edgecomb	$ 3.00	
Rupert Lord	3.00	
Chester McKenney	3.00	
		$ 9.00

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES FOR 1942

Owen Gilpatrick	$ 3.00	
Charles H. Hussey	3.00	
Roscoe Morse	3.00	
Ralph Poole	3.00	
		$ 12.00

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES FOR 1943

Wilfred Allaire	$ 3.00	
Ira Eastman	3.00	
		$ 6.00

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES FOR 1938

John Johnstone	$	1.45
Rupert Lord		1.45
Kenneth Leach		68.44
John Penney		1.45
Charles Yeaton		10.44
John Robbins		31.90
	$	115.13

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES FOR 1940

John Johnstone	$	1.40
Kenneth Leach		25.20
Herbert N. Chadbourne		9.86
John B. Donovan		5.88
Wilmer Fortz		5.60
Waldo Ricker		1.40
Mrs. Mabel Webster		1.40
	$	50.74

UNCOLLECTED TAXES FOR 1941

Kenneth Leach	$	4.13
John B. Donovan		3.03
Thomas Guay		4.46
George Hicken		1.38
Ralph Nichols		2.75
John Penney		1.38

Ralph Poole	1.38	
		$ 18.51

UNCOLLECTED TAXES FOR 1942

Herbert N. Chadbourne	$ 8.57	
Wilmer Fortz	3.40	
Cheslie Flanders	5.36	
Ralph Nichols	1.70	
Ralph Poole	1.70	
Owen Gilpatrick	6.80	
Roscoe Morse	1.70	
		$ 29.23

UNCOLLECTED TAXES FOR 1943

Rupert Lord	$ 48.96	
Cheslie Flanders	23.74	
Ralph Nichols	1.60	
Wilfred Allaire	2.56	
Elmer Goodrich	1.60	
Charles H. Hussey	6.40	
Norman L. Storer	1.60	
		$ 86.46

H. J. KELLEY,

Collector for
1938, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943.

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES, 1939

Allen, Charles	$	1.59
Bracy, Mabel		4.03
Blanchard, Fred		1.33
Champagne, Gerard		1.33
Chadbourne, Herbert N.		9.33
Foltz, Wilmer		5.30
Flanders, Cheslie		16.16
Hicken, Burleigh		1.33
Johnstone, John		1.33
Leach, Harold		43.73
Leach, Kenneth		3.18
Penney, John		1.33
Robbins, John		5.30
Woodsome, Norris		2.65
	$	97.92

GRACE L. AKERS,

Tax Collector, 1939

TREASURER'S REPORT

Town of Alfred

RECEIPTS

1945	
Balance	$ 6,189.24
From Warren A. Sayward, Tax Collector:	
1945 Taxes, Real Estate, Personal and Polls	29,809.76

Warren A. Sayward, Excise Tax	1,061.78	
Marcia Shaw, 1944 Taxes	583.06	
Harry Kelley, back Taxes	311.61	
Mary C. Kelley, Excise Taxes	373.81	
Frederick A. Hobbs, Liens	1,025.45	
Liens	248.37	
		$39,603.08
Interest on Bond	$ 12.50	
Fred Jones, hall rent	15.00	
Sanford Institution for Savings	4,000.00	
Leslie Ward, lock, school house	3.00	
Ralph Littlefield, tuition	36.00	
Albert E. Carpenter	42.86	
Henry Brock, tuition	15.00	
Homer E. Crooker	15.00	
Maynard E. Wright, refund	.50	
		$ 4,139.86
State of Maine Bank Stock	$ 30.99	
State Highway Department	773.00	
Dog Tax	44.29	
State School Fund	3,880.93	
Railroad and Telegraph Tax	50.73	
National Forest Fund	29.05	
State Treasurer (Alonzo L. Ross)	169.50	
Massabesic Experimental Forest	14.85	
		$ 4,993.34
Withholding Tax	$1,337.51	
Teachers' Retirement	168.04	
		$ 1,505.55
		$50,241.83

EXPENDITURES

By Warrant	$44,123.41
Cash Balance	6,118.42
	$50,241.83

RESOURCES

1 U. S. Government Bond	$ 500.00	$ 500.00
(This bond is not included in the above balance)		
1944 Tax Liens:		
Herman D. Boston	18.90	
Charles E. and Phyllis M. Butler	94.50	
Mrs. Charles Crane	132.30	
Mrs. Charles Crane	3.15	
John Fenwick	31.50	
Estate of Ed. I. Littlefield	35.91	
Estate of Ed. I. Littlefield	6.30	
Ralph E. Nowell	6.30	
Esther D. Paul	4.41	
Alphonse Tanguay	8.82	
Alphonse Tanguay	3.15	
Estate of George H. Smith	18.90	
Georgia H. Stearns	296.10	
Georgia H. Stearns	6.30	
Georgia H. Stearns	.76	
		$ 667.30

Interest and Cost not included in the above liens.

TAX DEEDS

Clark, Samuel, dated Feb. 7, 1927	$	69.81
Junkins, Alfred, dated Feb. 2, 1929		19.26
Jacons, A. E., dated Feb. 2, 1932		8.07
	$	97.14

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES W. PLUMMER,
Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 18, 1946

ALFRED FIRE DEPARTMENT TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS 1945

Balance	$	371.17
Town of Alfred		451.11
Town of Alfred		150.00
	$	972.28

EXPENDITURES

Paid by Order	$	564.70
Cash Balance		407.58
	$	972.28

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES W. PLUMMER,
Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 18, 1946

OLD CEMETERY FUND
TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS, 1945

Balance		$ 1,818.50	
Interest		27.34	
			$ 1,845.84
May 15	W. I. Mack	$ 3.00	
Balance		1,842.84	
			$ 1,845.84

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,

Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 18, 1946

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY
TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS, 1945

Balance	$ 2,862.92	
New York Trust Company	44.77	
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R. R.	150.00	
State of Maine, Library Stipend	35.00	
H. B. Fernald, sale of books	8.72	
Henry Parsons	200.00	
H. B. Fernald, sale of books	2.28	
H. B. Fernald, sale of books	20.75	
Town of Alfred	350.00	
New York Trust Company	89.55	
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R. R.	150.00	
H. B. Fernald, fines	26.11	
H. B. Fernald, sale of books	17.00	
Interest on Deposits	33.09	
		$ 3,990.19

EXPENDITURES

Paid by Order of Director	$ 867.53	
Cash Balance	3,122.66	
		$ 3,990.19

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,

Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 18, 1946

State of Maine

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT

AUGUSTA

November 20, 1945

Board of Selectmen

Alfred, Maine

Gentlemen:

In accordance with Chapter 16, Section 3, Revised Statutes of 1944, the records of the town of Alfred have been audited by Auditor Morris W. Bragdon for the period February 11, 1944 to February 10, 1945 inclusive.

The examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards applicable in the circumstances and included all procedures which were considered necessary. In the accompanying comments, you will find exceptions noted as relate to this examination. Briefly, they are as follows:

> For the second successive year, the Assessors' commitment to the Tax Collector was in excess of the requirements as voted at the annual town meeting.
>
> The authority of the town to pay over to a Fire Association the amount of its annual appropriation for fires might be open to question.

These may not be of serious consequence, but should have your attention so that subsequent audits will not reveal the same conditions.

The result discloses that the financial transactions

of this town have been satisfactorily handled, other than such items as may be mentioned herein.

Other material is incorporated in this report which should prove of interest to you. All of which is respectfully submitted.

Very truly yours,

FRED M. BERRY,

State Auditor.

COMMENTS

Re: Audit of the Town of Alfred
February 11, 1944 to February 10, 1945

An examination has been made of the financial transactions recorded in the books and records of the Town of Alfred for the municipal year ended February 10, 1945.

As far as could be ascertained, all monies received during the year were entered and promptly deposited, and all expenditures authorized by approved warrants were paid by check, but were only partially supported by payrolls and vouchers on file.

For the second successive year, the Assessors' commitment to the Tax Collector was in excess of the requirements as voted at the annual town meeting. The commitment, however, was found to be in agreement with the valuation records. No Assessors' notice was found attached to the valuation book.

The records of the Tax Collector were found to be well maintained, with discounts allowed and interest charges having been properly handled. The amount of the commitment remaining unpaid at the close of the municipal year was represented by unpaid taxes, according to the records of the Collector.

The general cash and special fund accounts were checked in detail and with the exception of a 27¢ error, all balances were in agreement with the depositories.

As the Town Treasurer is also Treasurer of the Fire Department Association and the Public Library Association, these two accounts were examined in detail and found in agreement with the statement in the annual town report.

Tax liens were found in the Treasurer's possession for the current year only. According to statute, any tax lien that has not matured should be in the possession of the Treasurer at all times. It is also believed it would be a good policy for the Treasurer to be custodian of all liens, which procedure is followed in most towns.

The records of the annual town meeting were reviewed for appropriations and salaries of officials.

Dog licenses issued were checked and according to receipts held by the Clerk, an overpayment of 80¢ was made to the state.

The authority of the town to pay over to a Fire Association the amount of its annual appropriation for fires might be open to question. While this has been the customary procedure for many years, it would seem as though all fire charges should be paid direct by the Town Treasurer from bills and payrolls approved by the Selectmen in the same manner as applies to all

other appropriations of the town.

The coverage of the fidelity bond of the Treasurer seems out of proportion to the cash balance on hand at the close of the year. This bond could be increased without much additional expense to the town.

Verifications to the extent deemed necessary were made of the asset and liability accounts.

TOWN OF ALFRED

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

Exhibit A

ASSETS

		February 10, 1945		February 11, 1944
Cash (Schedule A-1)		$6,189.24		$5,527.16
Special Funds:				
Parsons Memorial Library	$2,862.92		$2,852.30	
Old Cemetery Account	1,818.50		1,818.13	
Total (Schedule A-2)		4,681.42		4,670.43
Investments (Schedule A-3)		500.00		
Tax Accounts Uncollected:				
Taxes (Schedule A-4)	2,953.51		3,668.10	
Tax Liens (Schedule A-5)	2,580.70		2,728.22	
Tax Deeds (Schedule A-6)	97.14		97.14	
	5,631.35		6,493.46	
Less: Reserve for Collection	1,142.73		783.74	
		4,488.62		5,709.72
Accounts Receivable				2.00
TOTAL ASSETS		$15,859.28		$15,909.31

LIABILITIES

Due Other Agencies:				
Teachers' Retirement Fund	$94.88		$137.32	
Withholding Tax	242.26		310.31	
		$337.14		$447.63
Special Funds (Schedule A-2)		4,681.42		4,670.43
TOTAL LIABILITIES		5,018.56		5,118.06
Surplus Accounts				
Excise Tax Forward	688.17		1,467.59	
Departmental Balances Forward (net) (Exhibit D)	2,415.92		2,087.35	
Net Surplus (Exhibit E)	7,736.63		7,236.31	
		10,840.72		10,791.25
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS ACCOUNTS		$15,859.28		$15,909.31

TOWN OF ALFRED
STATEMENT OF DEPARTMENTAL OPERATIONS **EXHIBIT D**
YEAR ENDED FEBRUARY 10, 1945

	CREDITS					CHARGES		BALANCES		
								LAPSED		
	From 1943-44 Year	Appropriations	Departmental Receipts	Other	TOTAL	Cash Disbursements	Other	Overdraft	Unexpended	To 1945-46 Year
General Government										
Incidentals		$2,500.00	$ 271.37		$2,771.37	$2,415.86			$355.51	
Protection										
Fire Department		500.00			500.00	500.00				
Purchase of Fire Hose		150.00			150.00	198.89		$ 48.89		
Hydrants		1,600.00			1,600.00	1,600.00				
Street Lights		600.00			600.00	573.27			26.73	
Insurance on Town Property		582.35			582.35	586.70		435		
Civilian Defense		150.00			150.00	18.41			131.59	
		3,582.35			3,582.35	3,477.27		53.24	158.32	
Health										
Public Health Officer		25.00			25.00	25.00				
Public Health Nurse		25.00			25.00	25.00				
		50.00			50.00	50.00				
Highways and Bridges										
Highways and Bridges		1,000.00			1,000.00	1,266.10		266.10		
Roads in Winter		1,200.00	338.37		1,538.37	3,128.28		1,589.91		
Highway Patrol		759.00			759.00	759.00				
3rd Class Road Maint.	522.32	472.00			994.32	120.20				874.12
State Aid Road Construction	729.75				729.75					729.75
Cutting Bushes, State Roads	200.00				200.00					200.00
	1,452.07	3,431.00	338.37		5,221.44	5,273.58		1,856.01		1,803.87
Charities										
Support of Poor		200.00			200.00				200.00	
War Veterans' Relief		300.00			300.00	176.25			123.75	
		500.00			500.00	176.25			323.75	

EXHIBIT D Continued

	CREDITS					CHARGES		BALANCES		
								LAPSED		
	From 1943-44 Year	Appropriations	Departmental Receipts	Other	TOTAL	Cash Disbursements	Other	Overdraft	Unexpended	To 1945-46 Year
	(Ex. A)	(Ex. C)	(Ex. B)			(Ex. B)		(Ex. E)	(Ex. E)	(Ex. A)
Education										
Schools	$635.28	$12,300.00	$2,239.28		$15,174.56	$14,562.51				$612.05
Repairs and Insurance		1,000.00	13.65		1,013.65	1,009.62			$4.03	
Salary of Supt.						320.83		$320.83		
School Nurse		25.00			25.00	25.00				
	635.28	13,325.00	2,252.93		16,213.21	15,917.96		320.83	403	612.05
Library										
Parsons Memorial		350.00			350.00	350.00				
Unclassified										
Discounts & Abatements		300.00			300.00		410.41	110.41		
Care, Fountain & Park		20.00			20.00	28.00		8.00		
		320.00			320.00	28.00	410.41	118.41		
Interest										
General			302.55	47.80	350.35	29.96			320.39	
Special Assessments										
State Tax		4,278.25			4,278.25	4,278.25				
County Tax		825.78			825.78	825.78				
		5,104.03			5,104.03	5,104.03				
TOTALS	$2,087.35	$29,162.38	$3,165.22	$47.80	$34,462.75	$32,822.91	$410.41	$2,348.49	$1,162.00	$2,415.92

TOWN OF ALFRED

ANALYSIS OF CHANGE IN NET SURPLUS

YEAR ENDED FEBRUARY 10, 1945

Exhibit E

Net Surplus—February 11, 1945 (Exhibit A)			$7,236.31
Transactions affecting prior years:			
Charges—Addition to Reserve account		$358.99	
—Tax Liens charged off		79.19	
TOTAL CHARGES FOR PRIOR YEARS			438.18
			6,798.13
Transactions affecting current year:			
Operating Accounts—			
Charges—Departmental Balances (Exhibit D):			
Overdraft		2,348.49	
Unexpended		1,162.00	
		1,186.49	
Credits—Overlay (Exhibit C)	$1,283.30		
—Error in Commitment	724.90		
—Supplemental Taxes	116.79		
		2,124.99	
NET CREDITS FOR CURRENT YEAR			938.50
NET SURPLUS—February 10, 1945 (Exhibit A)			$7,736.63

The complete report of the audit, as required by Chapter 80, Section 119, Revised Statutes of 1944, and amended by Chapter 84, Public Laws of 1945, is on file in the office of the Selectmen.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT OF VITAL STATISTICS

Under the new law, marriages and births will not be in town report

Deaths Buried Here, 1945

April 2—Sadie A. R. Littlefield, 83 years, 3 months, 12 days. Cause of death, Apoplexy.

April 22—Lucy Abbie Tripp, 92 years, 2 months, 28 days. Cause of death Cerebral Thrombosis.

June 4—Nellie Belle Jordan, 79 years, 9 months, 20 days. Cause of death, Chronic Myelogenous.

December 12—Mabel Estella Deshon, 85 years, 11 months, 6 days. Cause of death, Cardiac Decomensation, Chronic Myocarditis. Died here, buried away, 1945.

March 10—Blanche May Gordon, 65 years, 11 months, 8 days. Cause of death, Uremic Poison.

April 1—Hannah Christine Burdin, 70 years, 10 months, 6 days. Cause of death, Acute Cardiac Failure.

July 29—Charles Allister Zwicker, 77 years, 2 months, 29 days. Cause of death, Coronary Thrombosis.

February 7, 1946—Mary Ellen Philpot, 83 years, 9 months, 29 days. Cause of death, Broncho Pneumonia, Terminal.

Died Away, Buried Here, 1945

January 29—John Tibbetts, 62 years, 6 months, 18 days. Cause of death, heart failure, probably Coronary Occutation.

February 3—Herbert Allen Nutter, 67 years, 5 months, 8 days. Cause of death not given.

February 4—Belle Asthton Leavitt, 70 years, 2 months, 27 days. Cause of death, Pulmonary Hemorrhage.

March 12—Fred Amory Robinson, 80 years, 8 months, 8 days. Cause of death not given.

April 24—Eugene Smith, 67 years, 6 months. Cause of death, Acute Myorditis.

May 4—Perley R. Austin, 53 years, 11 months, 5 days. Cause of death, Hypertension, heart disease.

June 29—C. Franklin Lander, 82 years, 4 months, 26 days. Cause of death, Coronary heart disease.

July 11—Matilda Pitts, 78 years, 10 months, 17 days. Cause of death, left ventural failure.

July 22—Fannie Brown, 74 years, 10 months, 23 days. Cause of death, cancer of liver.

September 7—Iver L. Ridlon, age not given. Cause of death, Apoplexy.

September 27—Ralph Dunn Emery, 61 years, 1 month, 13 days. Cause of death, shock from gun shot in head.

November 5—Marcus O. Nutter, 64 years, 1 months, 24 days. Cause of death, Coronary Sclerosis.

November 15—James Will Leavitt, 73 years, 8 months, 30 days. Cause of death, cancer of liver.
Removed from home lot at Sanford.

November 4, 1913—Alice M. Carter, 42 years, 11 months, 21 days. Cause of death, suicide by strangulation.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Superintending School Committee and the

Citizens of Alfred:

I herewith submit the annual report of schools.

According to the last census taken in April, 1945, Alfred has 98 boys and 111 girls, a total of 209, between the ages of five and twenty-one. In previous years the state has used census figures as one of the determining factors in the allocation of state money to the various towns. The last legislature, however, passed a law substituting school registration in place of school census. Census figures will not be reported next year.

The elementary grades have a registration of 130 pupils classified as follows: Sub-primary, 15; Grade 1, 21; Grade 2, 13; Grade 3, 12; Grade 4, 17; Grade 5, 13; Grade 6, 6; Grade 7, 16; Grade 8, 17.

The teaching staff of the elementary schools remains as last year. However, at the end of the year both high school teachers resigned. Mr. Malcolm Roberts of Alfred was elected principal and Mrs. Miriam B. Moody also of Alfred, was elected assistant.

An act effecting high schools was also passed by the last legislature, an amendment of the free tuition law. It reads: "Any youth who resides with a parent or guardian in a town that maintains or contracts for school privileges in an approved secondary school which offers less than two occupational courses of study, and whose qualifications for training are approved by the superintending school committee of the

town, may elect to attend some other approved secondary school to which he may gain admission for the purpose of studying an occupational course not offered or contracted for by the town of his legal residence." It is further provided under this act that towns paying tuition for such courses shall be reimbursed two-thirds of the amount paid, the total amount of reimbursement not to exceed $875.00.

Much in the way of repairs and improvements of the school plant has been done during the year. More remains to be done. Last summer the outside of the schoolhouse was painted. Some interior painting was also done; two more elementary class rooms and the walls in the basement and boiler room were painted. A decided improvement was made in the boiler room by building a cement partition separating the coal bunker from the rest of the room.

Lack of water pressure was relieved by replacing rusty pipes with new ones. A new drinking fountain and other necessary equipment have been secured. The septic tank advised by the state was built last fall.

A very satisfactory kitchen has been built with the money raised for that purpose. A heating unit was installed in this part of the basement and is working very satisfactorily. The kitchen should be supplied with hot water.

In conclusion I wish to express my appreciation to the Citizens, School Board and Teachers for their cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

MAYNARD E. WRIGHT,

Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF HIGH SCHOOL

To the School Board, the Superintendent of Schools, and the Citizens of the Town of Alfred, I submit the following report:

School opened on Monday, September 10th, with an enrollment of 28 students. Since that time two freshmen have left school—leaving a final enrollment of five seniors, eight juniors, three sophomores and ten freshmen.

The College Preparatory Course and the General Course were offered this year with about an equal division of students in each course.

The boys and girls competed in all events sponsored by the Central York County League and considering the small enrollment and lack of experience they made very creditable showings in all events.

Extra-curricular activities included three one-act plays, horseshoe, basketball, prize speaking, senior drama, soft ball. Educational films were shown regularly. It was the intent of the teachers to give the students as well balanced an education as possible. No education is balanced or complete without some form of extra-curricular activity.

All the money which is expended on extra-curricular artivities is raised by the boys and girls themselves. It seems to me that if we want our boys and girls to have some of these activities which go to make up a well-rounded education, that the townspeople should raise a small amount of money each year for the support of such activities.

The schools of Alfred need the active support of not only parents but all other citizens of the town more now than ever before. Our town will increase and prosper as its school system does.

I want to take this opportunity to express my appreciation to the Superintendent of Schools, School Board, Teachers, Townspeople and to the Students for their cooperation in making this my first and only year at teaching school a pleasant one.

Respectfully submitted,

MALCOLM W. ROBERTS,

Principal.

REPORT ON THE SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

Alfred has reason to be proud of its success during the past year in putting into operation a fine lunch program for the first eight grades. Too much praise cannot be given to the devoted group of volunteer mothers and friends who have done everything to make it possible and to the teachers who have cooperated wholeheartedly.

The project had its inception in a temporary sort of kitchen that acted only as a shelter from which to serve the meals cooked in the homes. In the early months, from February to April 1945, two women a day prepared the meal and served it to children through the fourth grade. Mrs. Harold R. Hall deserves much credit for keeping the volunteer schedule going. Dif-

ficult as the conditions were 1,707 meals were served in this period at a total cost of $247.76.

From the first the Parents' Club, the sponsoring group, decided to serve the A type meal which gave the maximum federal aid—nine cents per child for each meal served. The minimum for each child's meal has consisted of 2 ounces of protein or its equivalent in eggs or dried peas or beans, 1¼ cups of fruit and (or) vegetable one slice of bread or a muffin with fortified margarine, one-half pint of milk.

After the generous response of the townspeople to a request for a proper kitchen, the program was able to open in November of the present school year on a far more satisfactory basis. From November through February 3,398 meals have been served at a total cost of $616.56. The sponsors have been reimbursed $307.22 of this amount by the federal government. The remainder of the cost has been made up by the lunch fees—the children pay a flat rate of 50¢ a week. The dietitian's salary has come from what has been saved over the actual food costs.

The Parents' Club was fortunate in securing the services of Mrs. James E. Momna, who has done an excellent job on the meal preparation. At first the high school girls were kind enough to help Mrs. Momna. When it became too much for one full-time worker to handle in this way the executive committee of the Parents' Club again sought for volunteers to help. This time it was only necessary for one woman to come each day; this brought the turns about one a month. The cooperation has been excellent.

Mrs. Carroll F. Stevens has taken full charge of all the buying, and has done a masterly job of keeping the costs within the budget. Mrs. James E. Briggs in

her capacity as treasurer, has handled all the reports to the government, the bookkeeping and payments of bills. Her job has been a trying one entailing a good deal of time and effort. To a great extent the success of the program has depended upon her efforts.

Under the direction of the school committee the $500.00 voted at the town meeting, was expended for cupboards, counter space, a sink and other permanent features.

Through the generosity of the Ladies' Aid with a gift of $50.00 and the A.A.M. Class with a gift of $20.00 the sponsors were able to purchase a new gas stove. Friends have loaned a refrigerator. The New Century Club has made a gift of $7.50 used to help in the purchase of the mess trays now in use by the pupils instead of dishes. Individuals have made gifts totalling $11.00.

In August a highly successful salvage sale under the general chairmanship of Mrs. Waldo M. Emery, brought in a total of $86.35. Two guest luncheons, which Mrs. Howard E. Clark generously took charge of, brought in $34.50. The kitchen utensils and the balance on the trays were paid for from these two amounts. Forty-four of the seventy-four trays purchased, have been bought by the children, thus saving the sponsors considerable expense.

The outlook for another year is encouraging. It is expected that those in high school who need a lunch at school will be able to come into the program. Another year, too, the attractively decorated basement will probably be equipped with tables so that the children can eat there instead of taking trays to their classrooms.

In closing may I say the Parents' Club thanks the

Citizens of the Town of Alfred for having faith enough to support a project that has been so worthwhile.

MIRIAM B. MOODY,

President of Parents' Club.

REPORT OF THE SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

To the Superintendent of Schools, School Board and Citizens of Alfred:

I herewith submit my annual report on music in the schools.

The sub-primary group have memorized many songs this year and join with grades one and two in songs, folk dances, etc. The latter grades are starting note reading and simple theory.

We have new text books in grades three and fours, "Songs of Many Lands," which are a bit more difficult than their previous books, but well worth while.

Grades five and six and the Junior High classes have done their usual good work this year. Miss Villa Hayden, Critic Teacher from the State Department, visited these classes last fall and highly commended Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Gould on their tone quality, accuracy of pitch and the apparent enjoyment the pupils took in their work.

Mr. Roberts and Mrs. Moody have shown great interest in the High School chorus and have made possible occasions for assembly singing with the Junior

High group. Pupils from both schools are singing in the church choir and meeting with Mr. Shaw for weekly rehearsals.

Graduation music is on hand and will be started very soon.

Visitors would be very welcome at any and all music periods.

I much appreciate the cooperation of our Superintendent, School Board, Citizens and the entire teaching force which has assisted so materially in making this year successful.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN M. DOLLEY,

Supervisor of Music.

Alfred, Maine
February 18, 1946

REPORT OF THE MAINE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

I herein submit a brief report of service rendered the Town of Alfred by the York County Tuberculosis and Health Association for the period beginning January 1, 1945 to December 31, 1945.

One of the important objectives of our Health Program is care-finding, prevention and control of Tuberculosis. It is a communicable and an infectious disease, caused by tubercle bacillus which is found in the discharges from a tuberculous gland, bone or skin sinuses, sputum, gastric and intestinal contents.

In the State of Maine, 12 out of every 1,000 persons examined in World War II were rejected because of Tuberculosis. Keeping the armed forces free has added to civilian problems of Tuberculosis prevention. However, complete cooperation of all the people will help uncover every case of Tuberculosis, so that it may be treated and also protect all persons who have not been infected with the disease.

Forty-one students were given Patch tests for Tuberculosis. All were negative. Two previous years positive reactors had re-X-rays at State diagnostic clinic held in Sanford, and one of these reactors was taken three months later to Maine General Hospital, Portland, for another chest X-ray checkup. One TB case entered the Central Maine Sanatorium, Fairfield.

Several dental clinics were held at the offices of Dr. Good and Dr. Ouellette, Sanford. Finances were furnished by the A. A. M. Club, Red Cross and American Legion Auxiliary. Transportation was furnished by teachers and nurse.

One pupil had tonsillectomy at Goodall Hospital, financed by the Hospital Auxiliary.

Annual health inspections were completed in all grades.

Number pupils inspected	129
Number pupils with defects	42
Number pupils with no dental defects	49
Number pupils with the following defects:	
Teeth (deciduous)	53
Teeth (permanent)	22
Throat	12
Vision	9
Hearing	1
Evidence of pediculosis	3

Corrections made during the year:

Teeth	35
Throat	2
Vision	3

Health Education was provided for the school. Special efforts are being made by the teachers and nurse to help each student qualify 100 per cent Good Health.

With sincere thanks to Mr. Maynard Wright, superintendent of schools, teachers, town officers, local Red Cross, American Legion Auxiliary and other citizens for their kind help in conducting the Health Service this year, this report is

Respectfully submitted,

York County Tuberculosis and Health Assn.
By: NELLIE P. SAWYER, R. N.
Public Health Nurse.

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Gentlemen:

To the Directors of Parsons Memorial Library:

I submit the following as the forty-second annual report.

I think the last year could be called a successful one at the library, as the circulation has shown some increase, in spite of the fact that we have been handicapped by a lack of funds for books, from the usual source, until the last of the year.

Some books have been purchased with fifteen dollars given us by the A.A.M. Class and others donated

by individuals including Mr. Joseph Parsons and Mrs. Harry Foote Dwight.

Then the New Century Club, as has been its custom for a number of years, presented us with two fine books, namely, "The Lost Woods" by Teale, and "The Coming Era of Atomic Energy" by Dietz.

A Book Week observance was made possible in November, through the help of Rev. Charles Stevens, president of the Board of Directors.

Miss Catherine Morrill, children's librarian at the Goodall Memorial Library, Sanford, reviewed some worthwhile books before over seventy of the grade school children.

The books reviewed were purchased before this event and, needless to say, have been in great demand ever since.

Book marks, purchased by the librarian were given to the children who cared for them, at this time.

Through the year, there has been more cooperation on the part of the high school, than in the past, and by an earlier opening hour on Wednesdays, children who come to school by bus, are now using the library. I wish to give Mrs. Delbert Moody credit for this suggestion.

A shelf of fiction and non-fiction, with suitable books for reviews, sorted as to classes, has been arranged for the student's benefit.

A separate shelf has also been available for the New Century Club, containing all books the library owns on Russia, that being the subject of the club program this year.

We were glad in the summer, to have several mem-

bers of the Parsons family show their continued interest, by visiting the library and, once again, Mr. Henry Parsons has remembered us with a generous check for maintenance.

We wish more older people would use the library and, with a return to more normal conditions in the world once more, hope this may come about, for

"Books are keys to wisdom's treasure,
Books are gates to lands of pleasure,
Books are paths that forward lead,
Books are friends,
Come—let us read."

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE R. HEWEY,

Librarian.

Following is a list of books purchased or presented to the library during the year:

Andrews, Charles M.
.....Colonial Period of American History
Angelo, Valentine The Rooster Club
Armstrong, Charlotte The Unsuspected

Barlow, Jane Maureen's Fairing
Bayliss, Marguerite The Bolinvars
Beard, Charles A. and Mary R.
.....The Rise of American Civilization
Beebe, Wm. The Book of Naturalists
Bendick, Jeanne Making the Movies
Best, Herbert Young Un
Bowie, Walter R. On Being Alive

Brown, Joe E. Your Kids and Mine
Brown, John Mason Many a Watchful Night
Brown, Slater The Talking Skyscraper
Burchet, Wilfred G.
..... Pacific Treasure Island (New Caledonia)
Butler, Ovid
..... American Conservation in Picture and Story

Chamberlain, Samuel Ever New England
Chase, Mary Ellen ..The Bible and the Common Reader
Christie, Agatha And Then There Were None
Churchill, Winston S. Blood, Sweat and Tears
Coatsworth, Elizabeth Country Neighborhood
Collingwood, G. H. Knowing Your Trees
Constantine, Joan and Josephine
..... Secret of the Mardi Gras
Costain, Thomas B. The Black Rose
Costain, Thomas B. Ride With Me
Cote, Phyllis Rabbit-Go-Lucky
Craven, Thomas Modern Art

Davis, Kenneth S. Soldier of Democracy
Davis, William A Day in Old Athens
Donahey, William Teenie Weenie Days
Donahey, William Teenie Weenie Town
Downes, Anne Miller Heartwood

Eberle, Irmengarde The Very Good Neighbors
Eckstein, Gustav Canary

Faulkner, Georgene Melindy's Medal
Ferber, Edna Great Son
Forbes, Esther Johnny Tremaine
Ford, Leslie The Philadelphia Murder Story
Friskey, Margaret Scuttlebutt Goes to War
Friskey, Margaret Scuttlebutt and the Carrier Kitten

Gaddis, Peggy Cadet Nurse
Garrand, Phyllis Running Away With Nebby
Gould, John Farner Takes a Wife

Graves, Robert Wife to Mr. Milton
Grey, Zane The Border Legion
Grey, Zane The Young Forester
Grey, Zane The Red-Headed Outfielder
Grey, Zane The Thundering Herd
Grey, Zane Desert of Wheat
Grey, Zane Wanderer of the Wasteland
Grey, Zane The Young Lion Hunter
Grey, Zane Wildfire
Grey, Zane The Shepherd of Guadaloupe

Hall, James Norman Lost Island
Hamlin, Helen Nine Mile Bridge
Hatch, Alden General Ike
Hayes, Florence The Eskimo Hunter
Helmericks, Constance We Live in Alaska
Hill, Grace Livingston All Through the Night
Hilton, James So Well Remembered
Hobart, Alice Tisdale
..... The Peacock Sheds His Tail
Hope, Bob I Never Left Home
Howard, Blanche W. The Open Door

Ibsen, Henrik Hedda Gabler

James, Henry In the Cage

Keene, Carolyn
..... The Mystery of the Brass Bound Trunk

Key, Alexander
..... With Daniel Boone on the Caroliny Trail
Kingman, Lee Ilenka
Langley, Adrian Locke A Lion Is In the Streets
Leaf, Munro Let's Do Better
Leighton, Margaret The Singing Cave
Loring, Emilie Beyond the Sound of Guns

MacDonald, Betty The Egg and I

MacLennan Two Solitudes
Malvern, Gladys Jonica's Island
Marshall, Edison The Snow Shoe Trail
Marsh, Nagaro Died in the Wool
Marshall, Gen. Geo.
Report on the Winning of the War, in the Atlantic and Pacific
McGinley, Phyllis The Plain Princess
Means, Florence Crannel The Moved-Outers
Miller, Helen Topping Dark Sails

Ogilvie, Elizabeth High Tide at Noon
Ogilvie, Elizabeth Storm Tide

Parrish, Anne Poor Child
Parton, Ethel The Year Without a Summer
Partridge, Bellamy January Thaw
Pepper, Geo. Wharton Philadelphia Lawyer
Perkins, Dr. J. R. The Emperor's Physician
Porter, Alyene Papa Was a Preacher
Ponsonby, Sir Henry F. Beautiful Britain
Poor, Henry Varnum An Artist Sees Alaska

Raine, Wm. McLeod Texas Ranger
Raine, Wm. McLeod Trail's End
Reves, Emery The Anatomy of Peace

Rinehart, Mary Roberts The Yellow Room
Sabatini, Rafael The Birth of Mischief
Schwarzschild, Leopold....Primer of the Coming World
Shellabarger, Samuel Captain from Castile
Snow, Edward Rowe
.....Storms and Shipwrecks of New England
Sperry, Armstrong Hull-Down for Action
Stewart, Ann Bird Two Young Corsicans
Stone, Irving Immortal Wife
Street, James The Gauntlet

Tarkington, Booth Image of Josephine

Teale, Edwin Way The Lost Woods
Thirkell, Angela The Head Mistress
Tomlinson, H. M. All Our Yesterdays
Trevor, Lloyd Sky Highways

Ullman, James Ramsey The White Tower

Wallace, Henry A. Sixty Million Jobs
Waring, R. Roots in the Earth
White, W. L. Report on the Russians
Whiteford ,Andrew How Sandy Squirrel Got His Tail
Who's Who for 1945
Winwar, Frances The Life of the Heart

HONOR ROLL



DECEASED

Burbank, Caleb U., Jr.
Gay, Harold
Horne, Carl D.
Marshall, Joel Y.
Yates, Irving, Jr.

Allen, Clifford H.
Allen, Ralph W.

Brock, Herbert N.
Brock, William E.
Brook, Thomas G.
Burbank, Richard E.

Carpenter, Maurice H.
Carpenter, Oscar H.

Day, Arnold E.
Daney, Milton L.
Donovan, John B., Jr.
Drowns, Charles E.
Dube, Francis J.
Dube, Louis M.

Eagle, Carll E.
Emery, Philip W.
Evans, Ralph O.

Farrar, William J.
Ford, Frank F., Jr.
Fournier, Napoleon J.

Garvin, Eugene E.
Garvin, Richard R.
Garvin, Thomas T.
Gile, Leland H., Jr.
Goodwin, Donald W.
Gordon, Lewis F., Jr.

Hamel, James L.
Hardy, Charles C.
Hersom, Ernest W.
Hobbs, Frederick A. 2nd
Hobbs, Frederick R.
Hobbs, William K.
Hussey, Wayne T.

Johnson, Albert E.
Johnson, Elwyn D.
Johnson, Richard H.
Johnston, Earl J.
Johnston, Russell

Kallis, Bertram L.
Kallis, Leonard W.
Kimball, Donald K.

Leighton, Donald J.
Leighton, James W.
Leighton, Lesley C.
Leighton, Mary E.
Littlefield, Milton
Lovely, Richard L.

Maasen, John H., Jr.
Marshall, Sumner B.
Martel, Raymond J.
Matherson, John N.
Merrill, Althea
Merrill, Charles M.
Merrill, Lucy
Merrill, Marjorie
Morey, Clayton R.
Morrill, Austin P.
Morrill, Lawrence E.
Morrill, Roger L.
Morse, Harold A., Jr.
Morse, Raymond

Poole, Ernest B.
Poole, Ralph M., Jr.

Richards, Carl E.
Ricker, Colby N.
Ridley, Russell J.
Roberts, George R.
Roberts, Wallace E.
Roux, Raymond

Sawyer, Bernard C.
Schilpp, William J.
Smilie, Elwyn J.
Smilie, Everett B.
Smilie, Kendall R.
Spence, Ralph G., Jr.
Stearns, Peter L.
Stevens, Carroll F., Jr.
Stevens, Warren G.
Stone, Willard B.

Tebbetts, Fred G.
Tebbetts, Ralph J.
Thompson, Donald F.
Thompson, Irving F.
Thompson, Margaret L.
Thompson, Sumner F.
Turner, Gordon A.

Wallingford, Kenneth C.
Weymouth, Milton W., Jr.
Wilson, Alfred A.
Wilson, Douglas E.
Wilson, Willis M.

Yates, Raymond S.
Yates, Robert E.



Homer E. Crooker Agency

General Insurance

WE SELL COMPLETE FAMILY
AND
PROPERTY PROTECTION

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New York Life Insurance Co.

100 Main St., Tel. 122, Springvale, Me.
24 Mechanic St., Sanford, Me.



Annual Report

of the

TOWN OFFICERS

of the

TOWN OF ALFRED

MAINE



For the Year Ending February 8,

1947

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1947

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

FINANCIAL CONDITION

and the

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

of the

Town of
ALFRED, MAINE

TOGETHER WITH THE REPORT OF

Selectmen, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Superintendent of Schools, High School Principal, Supervisor of Music, Alfred Fire Department, Directors and Librarian of Parsons Memorial Library

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TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk

DUDLEY T. FORREST

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

HERMAN J. SAYWARD JOHN H. YUILL
FREDERICK A. HOBBS
(second six months' term)

Superintending School Committee

EMERY S. LITTLEFIELD, JR. JAMES E. BRIGGS
ELIZABETH A. BEALS

Superintendent of Schools

MAYNARD E. WRIGHT

Treasurer

JAMES W. PLUMMER

Road Commissioners

THOMAS J. SCOTT HAROLD HALL

Tax Collector

FREEMAN P. BILLINGS

Health Officer

DR. CARL E. RICHARDS

Constable

DUDLEY T. FORREST

Directors Parsons Memorial Library

CHARLES L. STEVENS HERBERT B. FERNALD
MARION E. HEWEY
HATTIE E. CLARK MARY C. EMERSON
DAVID H. WILSON

REPORT OF BUDGET MEETING, FEBRUARY 26, 1947

$ 650.00	For Alfred Fire Department, plus the balance of $361.77.
1,600.00	For Water Service.
25.00	For Park and Fountain.
300.00	For Discounts and Abatements.
400.00	For Cutting Bushes.
	Street Lights, no recommendation made, to be left open until town meeting.
1,500.00	For Highways and Bridges.
2,000.00	For Incidentals.
600.00	Insurance on town property.
968.70	Maintenance of State Aid Highway.
3,000.00	Opening Roads in Winter.
350.00	For Parsons Memorial Library.
100.00	For Public Health Nurse.
25.00	For Public Health Officer.
	Recommended that $1,000.00, plus the unexpended balance for Repairs, Equipment, Insurance and Improvement of Schools.
100.00	For Support of Poor.
16,500.00	For Support of Schools.

To see if the town will vote to install two fire escapes at school building.

To see if the town will vote to raise money for same.

To see if the town will vote to raise $500.00 to resurface and tar the road from State Highway No. 2 to Franklin Grant's.

To see if the town will vote to raise $500.00 to retar Brackett's hill, the road from E. C.

Ricker and Sons to Swett's Bridge, the road from Embroidery Mill to Sam Thyng's and from Percy Morrill's to Grange Hall from State Highway No. 202—State Highway No. 111.

To see if the town will vote to raise $350.00 to resurface and tar Depot Street.

To see if the town will vote to raise $500.00 for State Aid Road No. 7.

To see if the town will vote to raise $1,066.00 for State Aid Road No. 8.

To see if the town will vote to raise $533.00 for State Aid Road No. 3.

To see if the town will vote to raise $100.00 for six cement settees for park.

Voted to adjourn,

DUDLEY T. FORREST,

Clerk.

Report of Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

For the Municipal Year Ending February 8, 1947

Appropriated to Defray Town Expenses, State and County Taxes, Etc.

Alfred Fire Department	$ 500.00
Alfred Fire Department, new hose	150.00
Alfred Water Co., hydrant rental	1,600.00
Care of Fountain and Park	25.00
Cutting Bushes	400.00
Discounts and Abatements	300.00
Electric Street Lights	600.00
Highways and Bridges	1,500.00
Incidentals	2,000.00
Insurance on town property (not including school)	600.00
Maintenance of State Aid Highways	968.70
Maintenance of Third Class Highway	472.00
Opening Roads in Winter	3,000.00
Parsons Memorial Library	350.00
Public Health Nurse	100.00
Public Health Officer	25.00
Repairs, Equipment and Insurance of Schools	1,000.00
Support of Poor	100.00
Support of Schools	12,000.00
Veteran Aid Account	50.00
Total Appropriation	$29,342.40

State Tax	4,274.33	
County Tax	770.42	
Overlay	1,423.89	
Total to be Assessed		$35,811.04
Excise Tax for 1945	$1,061.78	
245 Polls for 1946	735.00	
Surplus in Treasury 1945	3,979.13	
		$ 5,775.91
To be Assessed by Property Tax		$30,035.13

VALUATION

Real Estate, Resident	$303,413.00
Real Estate, Non-Resident	78,770.00
Personal Estate, Resident	49,806.00
Personal Estate, Non-Resident	60,389.00
Total Valuation	$492,378.00

Tax Rate .061.

PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION, 1946

Owned by Veterans and Veterans' Widows	$7,370.00	
Exempt by Vote of Town:		
Alfred Water Co.	$1,290.00	
Owned by Town of Alfred	690.00	
Owned by United States Forestry Service	18,862.00	
		$28,212.00

INCIDENTAL EXPENSES

Appropriated $2,000.00

Paid 1946:

Feb. 25	Elmer Goodrich, shoveling at hydrants	3.00
Feb. 25	Lincoln Press, printing town reports	160.75
Feb. 25	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., office phone	.40
Apr. 6	Loring, Short & Harmon, office supplies	22.93
Apr. 6	Leavitt Insurance Agency, Treasurer Bonds	10.00
Apr. 6	Leavitt Insurance Agency, Collector's Bond	10.00
Apr. 6	Elsie Davis, Moderator, (March)	10.00
Apr. 6	George Crediford, care of town dump	6.00
Apr. 20	John G. Smith, discharging liens	3.50
Apr. 20	Loring, Short & Harmon, office supplies	5.00
Apr. 20	John W. Yates, janitor town hall	3.30
May 4	Central Maine Power Co., hall lights	7.57
May 4	Maine Municipal Association, annual service charge	35.00
May 4	George Crediford, care of town dump	10.00
May 4	Dudley T. Forrest, destroying dog	2.00

May 4	Lucy Lander, filing 115 abstracts	57.50
May 4	John A. Roberts, office supplies	1.61
May 18	Pauline Donovan, copying valuation book	50.00
May 18	John W. Yates, janitor town hall	2.73
Jun. 1	Central Maine Power Co., hall lights	1.50
Jun. 15	Arthur Merrifield, tuning hall piano	5.00
Jun. 15	John W. Yates, janitor town hall	10.00
Jun. 15	Sumner Ricker, repairs lawn mower	1.25
Jun. 15	George Crediford, care town dump	10.00
Jun. 15	Loring, Short & Harmon, collector's supplies	3.00
Jun. 15	Margaret Hardy, ballot clerk	5.00
Jun. 15	Alice Emery, ballot clerk	5.00
July 24	American Telephone & Telegraph Co., office phone	.20
July 27	John W. Yates, janitor town hall	8.65
July 27	Lincoln Press, collector's supplies	18.25
July 27	Dudley T. Forrest, attendance officer	2.00
July 27	John G. Smith, recording 11 tax liens	5.50
July 27	Central Maine Power Co., hall lights	3.32
July 27	Kenneth Yates, care town dump	6.00

July 27	S. B. Emery Co., window shades for hall	27.00
July 27	Walter Davis, placing flags on soldiers' graves and making new list	17.00
July 27	Marks Printing House, collector's supplies	8.50
July 27	Agnes Allen, ballot clerk, June	5.00
July 27	Elizabeth Beals, ballot clerk, June	5.00
July 27	Lester Roberts, election clerk, June	5.00
July 27	Harry Drew, election clerk, June	5.00
July 27	John H. Yuill, services, June	5.00
July 27	Frederick Hobbs, 2nd, services June primaries	5.00
July 27	Dudley T. Forrest, clerk, June primaries	5.00
July 27	H. J. Sayward, services, June primaries	5.00
Aug. 10	Central Maine Power Co., hall lights	1.50
Aug. 10	Kenneth Yates, care town dump	17.30
Aug. 10	Frederick A. Hobbs, 2nd, part salary	87.50
Aug. 24	Lincoln Press, 200 tax summons blanks	6.50
Aug. 24	John H. Yuill, part salary	75.00
Sept. 7	Kenneth Yates, care of town dump	18.20
Sept. 7	John A. Roberts, supplies	2.10
Sept. 21	Sanford Tribune, advertising sale	11.76

Sept. 21	Harry Drew, election clerk, September	5.00
Sept. 21	Lester Roberts, election clerk, September	5.00
Sept. 21	Elizabeth Beals, ballot clerk, September	5.00
Sept. 21	Agnes Allen, ballot clerk, September	5.00
Sept. 21	George H. Williams, deputy clerk	5.00
Sept. 21	John H. Yuill, services, September	5.00
Sept. 21	H. J. Sayward, services, September	5.00
Sept. 21	Wilbur Carpenter, patching Depot Street	12.00
Sept. 21	John W. Yates, janitor hall	4.95
Oct. 5	Dudley T. Forrest, destroying dog	2.00
Oct. 19	Forrest Clark, labor and supsupplies (hall)	7.48
Oct. 19	State Treasury Department, auditing books, 1945	321.80
Nov. 2	Central Maine Power Co., hall lights	3.00
Nov. 16	Kenneth Yates, care town dump	12.70
Nov. 16	John W. Yates, janitor town hall	9.95
Nov. 30	Central Maine Power Co., hall lights	1.68
Nov. 30	Robert Hardy, wood for hall	18.00
Nov. 30	H. J. Sayward, part salary	100.00
Dec. 14	Sanford Trust Co., imprinting treasurer's checks	4.48

Dec. 14	Kenneth Yates, gravel town dump	39.20
Dec. 30	Roscoe Butler, sealer	5.00
Dec. 30	Central Maine Power Co., hall lights	3.08
Dec. 30	David Knight, shoveling out hydrants	4.00
Dec. 30	T. J. Scott, Mountain Road, 576 yards gravel	57.60

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Jan. 11	David Knight, shoveling out hydrants	4.00
Jan. 11	Forrest Clark, draining hydrant at dump	2.25
Jan. 11	John G Smith, discharging liens	1.06
Jan. 11	John W. Yates, janitor at hall	5.30
Jan. 11	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., office phone	.15
Feb. 8	J. W. Plummer, treasurer	150.00
Feb. 8	J. W. Plummer, treasurer, postage, telephone expense, signing liens	37.37
Feb. 8	Dudley T. Forrest, clerk's salary	50.00
Feb. 8	Dudley T. Forrest, constable salary	18.00
Feb. 8	Dudley T. Forrest, attendance officer	5.00
Feb. 8	Dudley T. Forrest, destroying dog	2.00
Feb. 8	Dudley T. Forrest, postage and telephone	16.11

Feb.	8	Dudley T. Forrest, vital statistics	20.55
Feb.	8	T. J. Scott, fire warden	25.00
Feb.	8	John H. Yuill, balance salary	118.75
Feb.	8	H. J. Sayward, balance salary	143.75
Feb.	8	Freeman P. Billings, salary collector	202.71
Feb.	8	Freeman P. Billings, excise tax collector salary	75.00
Feb.	8	Freeman P. Billings, postage and telephone	24.46
Feb.	8	Central Maine Power Co., hall lights	2.10
Feb.	8	Frederick Hobbs, legal services	114.50
Feb.	8	Kenneth Yates, care of dump	9.50
Feb.	8	Warren A. Sayward, postage, stationery, balance collector 4 liens, 1945	25.63
Feb.	8	W. J. Mack, mowing lawn between church and hall	3.00
Feb.	8	Mary C. Kelley, election clerk, March 1946	5.00
Feb.	8	James Briggs, salary S. S. Com.	10.00
Feb.	8	Emery S. Littlefield, salary S. S. Com.	10.00
Feb.	8	Elizabeth Beals, salary S. S. Com.	10.00
1946			
Dec.	30	Jerry Gile, gravel	9.80
			$2,541.23

Rental Town Hall	25.00
Interest on War Bonds	12.50
State of Maine Bank Stock	33.90
Railroad and Telegraph Stock	52.45
J. W. Plummer, advertising	15.00
	$2,138.85
Overdraft	402.38
	$2,541.23

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Appropriated		$1,500.00
Harold Hall, refund second hand culvert		2.00
Edward H. Emery, refund on tar, 1945		125.00
		$1,627.00

Thomas Scott

1946		
Mar. 23	Payroll	$ 210.27
Apr. 20	Payroll	133.68
May 18	Payroll	82.72
May 18	Payroll	106.51
Jun. 15	Payroll	215.34
	Total	$ 748.52

Harold Hall

1946		
Mar. 23	Payroll	$ 27.51
Apr. 20	Payroll	35.08

Apr. 20	Payroll	92.32
May 18	Payroll	161.12
May 18	Payroll	148.94
Jun. 15	Payroll	101.98
Aug. 24	Payroll	47.76
Nov. 2	Payroll	48.38
Nov. 2	Payroll	122.14
	Total	$ 785.23
	Balance	$ 93.25
		$1,627.00 $1,627.00

OPENING ROADS IN WINTER

Thomas Scott

1946		
Mar. 16	Payroll	$ 40.88
Mar. 16	Payroll	149.77
Mar. 16	Payroll	55.86
Apr. 20	Snow Fence removal	19.10
Sept. 7	W. H. Shurtleff Co., salt	32.10
Nov. 30	Snow Fence	44.87
Dec. 30	Payroll	19.20
Dec. 30	Payroll	114.90
1947		
Jan. 11	Payroll	356.05
Jan. 25	Payroll	117.60
	One-half cost of repairs and storage of tractor	217.05
	Total	$1,167.38

Harold Hall

1946		
Feb. 25	Payroll	$ 23.50
Feb. 25	Payroll	428.49
Mar. 23	Payroll	209.68
Apr. 20	Snow Fence removal	52.05
Sept. 7	W. H. Shurtleff Co., salt	32.09
Nov. 16	Snow Fence	190.80
Dec. 14	Snow Fence	23.39
Dec. 30	Payroll	122.51
1947		
Jan. 11	Payroll	268.63
Jan. 11	Payroll	75.00
Jan. 11	Payroll	51.38
Jan. 25	Payroll	58.20
Jan. 25	Payroll	59.75
Jan. 25	Payroll	256.02
Feb. 8	Payroll	49.75
Feb. 8	Payroll	85.65
	One-half cost of repairs and storage of tractor	217.05
	Total	$2,203.94

Appropriated by Town		$3,000.00
T. J. Scott, Payroll	$1,167.38	
Harold Hall, Payroll	2,203.94	
	$3,371.32	
State Treasurer, refund from Highway Department		$ 241.61
Overdraft		129.71
	$3,371.32	$3,371.32

REPAIRS ON TRACTOR

1946		
Mar. 16	Billings Garage	$ 19.71
Mar. 23	Bracy's Garage	7.30
Mar. 23	Scott's Garage, gas and labor	70.95
Mar. 23	Eastern Tractor Co., parts	71.61
Apr. 6	Eastern Tractor Co., parts	21.86
Apr. 6	Clark's Garage	7.50
May 4	E. C. Ricker & Sons	1.90
Dec. 14	Eastern Tractor Co., parts	10.60
Dec. 30	T. J. Scott, repairs and supplies	102.67
Dec. 30	T. P. Scott, storage of tractor	120.00
		$ 434.10

One-half carried to each account on snow removal.

MAINTENANCE OF STATE AID HIGHWAY

Appropriated			$ 968.70
State Treasurer			588.88
			$1,557.58
1946			
Feb. 25	State Treasurer	$ 800.70	
Dec. 3	State Treasurer	961.90	
	Total	$1,762.60	
Overdraft			205.02
		$1,762.60	$1,762.60

$800.70 was for maintenance in 1945 and should have been paid in that year.

MAINTENANCE OF THIRD CLASS ROAD

Appropriated		$ 472.00

The above amount was transferred to State Aid Construction.

CUTTING BUSHES

Appropriated			$ 400.00
1946			
Nov. 30	Harold Hall, Payroll	$ 57.50	
Nov. 30	Harold Hall, Payroll	48.89	
Dec. 14	Harold Hall, Payroll	45.00	
Dec. 14	Harold Hall, Payroll	40.50	
Dec. 30	Harold Hall, Payroll	7.88	
	Total	$ 199.77	
1946			
Nov. 30	T. J. Scott, Payroll	$ 24.75	
Dec. 30	T. J. Scott, Payroll	21.00	
	Total	$ 45.75	
Unexpended Balance		$ 154.48	
		$ 400.00	$400.00

SUPPORT OF POOR

Appropriated		100.00
Balance	100.00	
	$ 100.00	$100.00

VETERANS' AID ACCOUNT

Balance				$ 50.00

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Appropriated				$ 350.00
1947				
Feb. 8	Parsons Memorial Library	$ 350.00		
			$ 350.00	$ 350.00

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Appropriated				$ 100.00
1947				
Jan. 11	Arthur Lugee	$ 100.00		
			$ 100.00	$ 100.00

PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICER

Appropriated				$ 25.00
1947				
Feb. 8	Carl E. Richards, M. D.	$ 25.00		
			$ 25.00	$ 25.00

ALFRED WATER COMPANY

Appropriated			$1,600.00
1946			
Dec. 30	Alfred Water Company	$1,600.00	
		$1,600.00	$1,600.00

ALFRED FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriated			$ 500.00
Transferred from Fire Department			407.58
			$ 907.58
1946			
Mar. 23	S. B. Emery Co.	$ 7.70	
Mar. 23	W. R. Babcock	18.15	
Mar. 23	John Gerry	16.00	
Mar. 23	Forrest Clark	30.50	
Mar. 23	G. C. Downs	7.52	
Mar. 23	Central Maine Power Co.	4.30	
Mar. 23	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	4.50	
May 4	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	4.40	
May 4	John Gerry	16.00	
May 4	Eastern Fire Equipment Co.	46.52	
May 4	Billings Garage	3.40	
May 4	John Gerry	17.50	
May 4	Marshall's Garage	1.32	
May 4	Central Maine Power Co.	3.25	
May 18	Central Maine Power Co.	3.50	
Jun. 1	Central Maine Power Co.	3.50	
Jun. 15	Billings Garage	1.04	

Jun. 15	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	2.25
July 27	Marshall's Garage	1.49
July 27	John Gerry	16.00
July 27	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	2.20
July 27	Central Maine Power Co.	3.50
Aug. 10	Central Maine Power Co.	3.50
Aug. 10	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	2.20
Oct. 19	G. C. Downs	.25
Oct. 19	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	2.55
Oct. 19	Central Maine Power Co.	3.50
Oct. 19	Dudley Forrest	2.00
Oct. 19	Billings Garage	6.79
Oct. 19	Marshall's Garage	2.50
Nov. 16	Bracy's Garage	3.25
Nov. 16	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	4.40
Nov. 30	Central Maine Power Co.	10.50
Nov. 30	Walter Babcock	38.50
Dec. 14	Marshall's Garage	4.68
Dec. 14	John Gerry	16.00
Dec. 14	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	2.20
Dec. 14	Billings Garage	1.10

1947

Jan. 11	T. J. Scott, battery, fire truck	25.58
Jan. 11	John Gerry, janitor	16.00
Jan. 11	Central Maine Power Co.	4.46
Jan. 11	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	2.20
Feb. 8	Central Maine Power Co.	3.62

Feb.	8	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	2.20	
Feb.	8	Forrest Clark, stove	140.95	
Feb.	8	Billings Garage	1.98	
Feb.	8	R. W. Littlefield, oil	14.36	
Feb.	8	John Gerry, janitor	16.00	
		Total	$ 545.81	
		Unexpended Balance	361.77	
			$907.58	$907.58

ALFRED FIRE DEPARTMENT

Purchase of Fire Hose

Appropriated				$ 150.00
1946				
May	4	Quaker Rubber Co., new hose	152.00	
Overdraft				2.00
			$ 152.00	$ 152.00

INSURANCE ON TOWN PROPERTY

Appropriated				$ 600.00
Feb.	8	Credit from School Department		202.29
Apr.	13	Homer Crooker		27.17
				$ 829.46

1946			
May 4	J. W. Plummer, Agent	$ 431.07	
Mar. 23	H. E. Crooker, Agent	300.55	
July 24	J. W. Plummer, Agent, tractor insurance	46.00	
Dec. 30	J. W. Plummer, Agent truck insurance	12.33	
	Unexpended Balance	39.51	
		$ 829.46	$ 829.46

ELECTRIC STREET LIGHTS

Appropriated		$ 600.00
Paid Central Maine Power Co.	$ 431.23	
Unexpended Balance	168.77	
	$ 600.00	$ 600.00

CARE OF FOUNTAIN AND PARK

Appropriated			$ 25.00
1946			
Sept. 21	John W. Yates, care of park and hall grounds	$ 25.00	

SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS

Appropriated for Schools	$12,000.00
Appropriated for repairs and equipment	1,000.00
Received from Ralph Littlefield, tuition	36.00
Received from Henry Brock, tuition	36.00
Received from Allen Bickford, tuition	15.00
Received from Marjorie Littlefield	15.00
Received from State School Fund	4,362.20
Received from State Treasurer, School Maintenance	530.00
Repairs, Equipment and Insurance of School Building	3,139.49
Paid out for School Payrolls No. 1 to 26 inclusive	20,799.16

LOAN IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES

1946

May	7	Borrowed from Sanford Institution for Savings		$4,000.00
Feb.	8	Paid above note	$4,000.00	

INTEREST ON LOAN IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES

1946			
July 27	Paid Sanford Institution for Savings	$ 17.67	
Oct. 5	Paid Sanford Institution for Savings	30.00	
Dec. 30	Paid Sanford Institution for Savings	30.00	
1947			
Feb. 8	Paid Sanford Institution for Savings	13.33	
	Overdraft (No Appropriation)		91.00
		$ 91.00	$ 91.00

DISCOUNTS AND ABATEMENTS

Appropriated			$ 300.00
1946			
Aug. 10	G. Burton Chadbourne	$ 3.11	
Aug. 10	William Kallis	3.11	
Aug. 17	Ralph Nickels	2.07	
Aug. 17	Ralph Nickels	3.35	
Aug. 17	Ralph Nickels	3.05	
Aug. 20	Carl Eagle	3.35	
Aug. 20	Alfred A. Wilson	5.03	
Aug. 20	John Fenwick	13.40	
Oct. 5	Harry Varney	84.50	
1947			
Jan. 25	Helen Brock	4.58	
Jan. 25	Charles Drown	3.00	

Jan.	25	Clifford Allen	3.00	
Jan.	25	Colby Ricker	3.00	
Feb.	2	Harold Crawford	3.00	
Feb.	8	Henry Gay	3.00	
Feb.	8	Paul St. George	3.00	
Feb.	8	Jacob Hanscom	3.00	
Feb.	8	Fred L. Jones	3.00	
Feb	8	Donald Kimball	3.00	
Feb.	8	Ralph Nickels	3.00	
Feb.	8	George L. Roberts	3.00	
Feb.	8	Norman L. Storer	3.00	
Feb.	8	Ernest L. Willey	3.00	
Feb.	8	Alex Thompson	3.00	
Feb.	8	John Fenwick	30.50	
Feb.	8	Marcia Cluff, years 1939-1940, 1941, 1942	289.11	
		Overdraft		187.16
			$ 487.16	$487.16

STATE TAX

Assessment 1946				$4,274.33
Dec.	30	Joseph H. McGillicuddy, State Treasurer	$4,274.33	

COUNTY TAX

Assessment 1946				$ 770.42
Oct.	19	Gladys Merrill, County Treasurer	$ 770.42	

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION No. 3

Appropriated			$ 968.70
Received from State			1,599.00
			$2,567.70
1946			
Aug. 9	Payroll	$ 131.52	
Aug. 23	Payroll	79.88	
Sept. 7	Payroll	254.72	
Sept. 14	Payroll	233.56	
Sept. 28	Payroll	192.16	
Oct. 5	Payroll	539.68	
Oct. 12	Payroll	605.56	
Nov. 9	Payroll	347.54	
	Unexpended Balance	183.08	
		$2,567.70	$2,567.70

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION No. 8

Appropriated			$ 533.00
Received from State			1,066.00
Third Class Maintenance			472.00
			$2,071.00
1946			
Sept. 21	Payroll	$ 149.82	
Oct. 12	Payroll	204.52	
Oct. 19	Payroll	370.16	
Oct. 26	Payroll	531.69	
Nov. 2	Payroll	494.14	
Nov. 23	Payroll	315.58	
	Unexpended Balance	5.09	
		$2,071.00	$2,071.00

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION No. 7

Appropriated			$ 500.00
Received from State			800.00
			$1,300.00
1946			
Oct. 19	Payroll	$ 77.61	
Nov. 16	Payroll	103.17	
Nov. 16	Payroll	369.73	
Nov. 23	Payroll	735.29	
	Balance	14.20	
		$1,300.00	$1,300.00

Dec. 30 Jerry Gile, 98 yards of gravel $9.80 was paid in payroll.

E. C. Ricker & Sons, 495 yards gravel paid after books closed.

TARRING BRACKETT HILL

Appropriation			$ 150.00
1946			
Aug. 10	Eastern Tractor Co., tar	$ 67.38	
Aug. 24	Payroll, Harold Hall	59.25	
	Unexpended Balance	23.37	
		$ 150.00	$ 150.00

MILLS ROAD TO SAM THYNG'S

Appropriated			$ 900.00
1946			
May 18	Thyng Road	$ 324.89	
Aug. 24	T. J. Scott, tarring	317.63	
Aug. 10	Eastern Tractor Co., tar	239.48	
	Unexpended Balance	18.00	
		$ 900.00	$ 900.00

SWETT BRIDGE ROAD—HOBBS ROAD

Appropriated			$ 300.00
F. A. Hobbs, 2nd			14.64
			$ 314.64
1946			
May 18	Swett Bridge Road	$ 122.33	
Aug. 24	T. J. Scott	130.36	
Aug. 10	Eastern Tractor Co., tar	60.65	
	Unexpended Balance	1.30	
		$ 314.64	$ 314.64

NUTTER ROAD

Sanford Institution for Savings by Note			$ 600.00
1946			
Nov. 2	T. J. Scott, Nutter Road	$ 560.02	

Dec. 30	Sanford Institution for Savings, interest on above note	2.75	
	Unexpended Balance	37.23	
		$ 600.00	$ 600.00

A. C. CLARK ROAD

1946			
May 18	T. J. Scott	$ 220.72	
	Overdraft, no funds		220.72

RURAL ROAD—SPECIAL STATE FUND

1947			
Jan. 21	From State Treasurer		$1,126.70
1946			
Nov. 16	Harold Hall, labor	$ 329.50	
Nov. 16	Leland Gile, gravel	10.60	
Dec. 30	T. J. Scott, gravel (paid from Incidentals)	57.60	
1947			
Jan. 11	T. J. Scott, labor	797.70	
		$1,195.40	
	682 yards gravel had to be paid for by town	68.20	
		$1,127.20	
	Not Claimed	.50	
		$1,126.70	$1,126.70

TREE SURGERY IN PARK

Appropriated			$ 100.00
1946			
July 27	Stevens Tree Company	$ 75.00	
	Unexpended Balance	25.00	
		$ 100.00	$ 100.00

FLAG POLE

Appropriated			$ 150.00
1946			
May 18	Sanford Water Co.	$ 4.13	
May 18	Donald Leighton	13.00	
Jun. 15	Ralph Smilie	7.00	
July 27	Saco Lowell Shops	2.16	
July 27	Loring, Short & Harmon	12.35	
Dec. 14	F. G. Congdon, express	.55	
	Unexpended Balance	110.81	
		$ 150.00	$ 150.00

FOREST FIRES

No Appropriation.

1946		
May 4	Received from State Treasurer	$ 28.38
Sept. 12	Received from State Treasurer	9.24

1946			
Apr. 20	Clough Fire	$ 56.76	
July 27	North Alfred	18.48	
	Overdraft		37.62
		$ 75.24	$ 75.24

OVERLAY

Assessed According to Law		$1,423.89
Overdrafts:		
Incidental Account	$ 402.38	
Snow Removal	129.71	
Maintenance State Aid Road	205.02	
Fire Department Hose	2.00	
Interest on $4,000.00 Loan	91.00	
A. C. Clark Road	220.72	
Forest Fires	37.62	
Abatements	187.16	
Unexpended Balance	148.28	
	$1,423.89	$1,423.89

PROPERTY OWNED BY TOWN OF ALFRED

	No. of Acres	
Athletic Field	9	$ 270.00
Town Dump	1	50.00
Daniel Shackley Meadow	2	10.00
Half of Jewell Mill Privilege	¼	10.00
Noah Robinson Meadow	2	20.00
		$ 460.00

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT, 1946

Commitment Property Tax	$30,035.16	
Commitment Poll Tax	735.00	
		$30,770.16
Supplemental Property Tax	$ 31.73	
Supplemental Poll Tax	66.00	
		$ 97.73
Interest Collected 9/1/46 to 2/10/47		152.08
		$31,019.97
Paid Treasurer	$29,421.94	
Discounts allowed according to vote	362.01	
Abatements allowed by Assessors	170.85	
		$29,954.80
Uncollected Resident Taxes	$ 793.71	
Uncollected Non-Resident Taxes	271.46	
		$ 1,065.17
		$31,019.97

UNCOLLECTED RESIDENT TAXES

Real and Personal

Walter Babcock	$ 50.33
Alfred Bernier	40.26
Charles H. Burns	32.64
C. Edwin and Phyllis Butler	31.50*

Herbert N. Chadbourne	64.11
William DeMille	27.45
Paul Garvin	129.01
Christopher Hussey, 2nd	9.15
Harvey Hussey	112.68
Georgie Stearns	296.58
	$ 793.71

UNCOLLECTED NON-RESIDENT TAXES

Real and Personal

Fred and Emma Bickford	$ 61.00
Herman D. Boston	18.30
Mrs. Angelina M. Brown	54.90*
Orrin Garland	4.58
Mrs. Ethel and Nancy Littlefield	40.87
Ralph C. Nowell	6.10
Jennie Picken	5.80
Mrs. Florence Prescott	30.50
George Robinson	7.32
Staples and Anspough	30.50
Alphonse Tanguay	11.59
	$ 271.46

* Star represents paid after book were closed.

Respectfully submitted,

F. P. BILLINGS,

Tax Collector.

COLLECTOR'S FINAL REPORT
FOR 1945 TAXES

As of February 10, 1946, there were outstanding:

Uncollected Polls	$ 12.00	
Uncollected Resident Real and Personal Taxes	1,038.11	
Uncollected Non-Resident Real and Personal Taxes	443.88	
		$1,493.97
Plus Interest Collected 2/10 to 6/30/46		25.74
		$1,519.71

Abatements Allowed by Assessors	$ 52.90	
Charles H. Burns, overtaxed on stock	$10.72	
Carl Eagle, no real estate	3.35	
John Fenwick, error in tax	13.50	
Ralph Nichols, no refrigerator	3.35	
Theodore Porier, Spanish War Veteran	16.75	
Alfred A. Wilson, in armed services	5.03	
		$52.90

UNCOLLECTED RESIDENT REAL AND PERSONAL TAXES

Charles H. Burns	$ 31.49	
C. Edwin and Phyllis Butler	100.50	
Liens filed with Registrar of Probate	650.27	
Treasurer's Receipts since 2/10/46	684.75	
		$1,519.71

The face value of liens for 1945 handed to Town Treasurer amounted to $681.82 as follows:

Taxes covered 1945 as committed	$ 650.27	
Interest on liens, Sept. 1, 1945 to June 30, 1946	31.55	
		$ 681.82

W. A. SAYWARD,
Collector for 1945.

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES FOR 1938

Philip Edgecomb	$ 3.00	
Rupert Lord	3.00	
Chester McKenney	3.00	
Rupert Lord	3.00	
		$ 12.00

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAX FOR 1943

Ora Eastman	$ 3.00	
		$ 3.00

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES FOR 1938

Kenneth Leach (Balance Due)	$ 18.64	
Rupert Lord	1.45	
Charles Yeaton	10.44	
		$ 30.53

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES FOR 1940

Kenneth Leach	$ 25.20	
John B. Donovan	5.88	
Wilmer Foltz	5.60	
		$ 36.68

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES FOR 1941

Kenneth Leach	$ 4.13	
John B. Donovan	3.03	
Thomas Guay	4.46	
Ralph Poole	1.38	
		$13.00

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES FOR 1942

Wilmer Foltz	$ 3.40	
Ralph Poole	1.70	
Roscoe Morse	1.70	
		$ 6.80

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES FOR 1943

Rupert Lord	$ 48.96	
Elmer Goodrich	1.60	
Norman Storer	1.60	
		$ 52.16
Amount of back taxes collected in 1946	$ 157.07	
Interest Collected	22.92	
		$ 179.99

H. J. KELLEY,
Tax Collector for 1938, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES, 1939

Allen, Charles	$ 1.59
Bracy, Mabel	4.03
Blanchard, Fred	1.33
Champagne, Gerard	1.33
Chadbourne, Herbert N.	9.33
Foltz, Wilmer	5.30
Flanders, Cheslie	16.16
Hicken, Burleigh	1.33
Johnstone, John	1.33
Leach, Harold	43.73
Leach, Kenneth	3.18
Penney, John	1.33
Robbins, John	5.30
Woodsome, Norris	2.65
	$ 97.92

GRACE L. AKERS, Tax Collector, 1939.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1936

Held by Town

Boston, Herman	$.94	
		$.94

No interest included after March, 1937.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1938

Held by Town

Newell, Ralph E.	$ 5.90	
		$ 5.90

No interest included after March, 1939.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1939

Held by Town

Boston, Herman	$ 14.54	
		$ 14.54

No interest included after March, 1940.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1940

Held by Town

Boston, Herman E.	$ 17.40	
Nowell, Ralph E.	5.80	
		$ 23.20

No interest included after April, 1941.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1941

Held by Town

Boston, Herman	$ 17.05	
Nowell, Ralph E.	5.69	
		$ 22.74

No interest included after March, 1942.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1942

Held by Town

Nowell, Ralph E.	$ 7.05	
		$ 7.05

No interest included after May, 1943.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1943

Held by Town

Allaire, Wilfred	$ 13.31	
Boston, Herman D.	19.96	
Nowell, Ralph	6.66	
Paul, Esther D.	4.66	
		$ 44.59

No interest included after May, 1944.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1944

Boston, Herman D.	$ 18.90
Littlefield, Ed. I. Estate	42.21

Nowell, Ralph E.	6.30	
Paul, Esther D.	4.41	
Tanguay, Alphonse	11.97	
		$ 83.79

No interest included after May, 1945.

These tax liens are resources held by the Town and not shown in the Treasurer's Report.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN J. SAYWARD,
JOHN H. YUILL,

Selectmen.

TREASURER'S REPORT

TOWN OF ALFRED

RECEIPTS

1946		
Balance	$ 6,118.42	
Freeman P. Billings, Tax Collector 1946 Taxes, Real Estate, Personal and Polls	29,421.94	
Freeman P. Billings, Excise Tax	626.86	
Warren A. Sayward, 1945 Taxes	1,524.73	
Warren A. Sayward, Excise Tax	49.18	
Harry J. Kelley, Back Taxes	179.99	
Frederick A. Hobbs, Liens	472.17	
Liens	832.66	
		$39,225.95
Sanford Institution for Savings	$ 4,000.00	
Interest on Bond	12.50	
Henry Brock, Tuition	36.00	
Ralph Littlefield, Tuition	36.00	
Marjorie Littlefield, Tuition	15.00	
Allen Bickford, Tuition	15.00	
Maynard E. Wright, Refund	5.20	
J. W. Plummer, Advertising	15.00	
School Department, Refund Insurance	202.29	
Harry L. Drew, Sale of Property	28.00	
Harry E. Chadbourne, Sale of Property	58.75	
John Matherson, Sale of Property	275.00	
Frederick A. Hobbs, 2nd, Refund	14.64	

Parents' Clubs	15.58	
Jack Yates, Hall Rent	10.00	
John H. Yuill, Hall Rent	15.00	
Harold Hall, Culvert	2.00	
Sanford Institution for Savings	600.00	
Homer E. Crooker, Refund	27.17	
Alfred Fire Department, Transfer	407.58	
Edward H. Emery, Refund	125.00	
		$ 5,915.71

State Treasurer

Highway Department	$ 5,422.19	
State School Fund	4,892.20	
Refund	87.87	
Railroad and Telegraph Tax	52.45	
Bank Stock Tax	33.90	
Forest Fires	37.62	
		$10,526.23

Withholding Tax	$ 1,256.07	
Teachers' Pension	201.06	
Teachers' Retirement	205.63	
		$ 1,662.76
		$57,330.65

EXPENDITURES

By Warrant	$54,245.67	
Cash to Balance	3,084.98	
		$57,330.65

RESOURCES

One U. S. Government Bond	$ 500.00	$ 500.00
1946 Tax Liens:		
Mrs. Georgia Stearns	$ 338.52	
William Demille	31.66	
Mrs. Angelina Brown	35.11	
Herman D. Boston	21.11	
Ralph Nowell	7.04	
Estate J. H. Makin	12.06	
Mrs. Ethel Littlefield	47.13	
Herbert Chadbourne	66.83	
		$ 559.46
		$1,059.46

Interest and Costs not included in the above Liens.

Tax Deeds

Junkins, Alfred, dated February 2, 1929	$ 19.26	$ 19.26

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,

Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 16, 1947

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY
TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS, 1946

Balance	$3,122.66
Fidelity Dividend	105.72
A. B. Fernald, Sale of Books	4.58
Newsweek Refund	.50
Gaylord Bros., Inc.	4.75
The New York Trust Co.	84.98
State of Maine, Library Stipend	35.00
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R. R.	150.00
H. B. Fernald, Silver Tea	7.15
H. B. Fernald, Sale of Books	5.77
Mrs. C. P. Milmine, for Books	30.00
Henry Parsons	200.00
The New York Trust Co.	87.96
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R. R.	150.00
Fines	30.00
Sale of Book	1.00
Town of Alfred	350.00
Interest on Deposits	34.40
	$4,404.47

EXPENDITURES

Paid by Order of Director	$ 982.12
Cash Balance	3,422.35
	$4,404.47

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES W. PLUMMER,
Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 16, 1947

OLD CEMETERY FUND
TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS, 1946

Balance	$1,842.84	
Interest	27.73	
Balance		$1,870.57

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,

Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 16, 1947

State of Maine

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT
AUGUSTA

September 4, 1946

Board of Selectmen
Alfred, Maine

Gentlemen:

In accordance with Chapter 16, Section 3, Revised Statutes of 1944 and at your request, the records of the Town of Alfred have been audited by Auditor F. A. Reichel for the period February 11, 1945 to February 11, 1946 inclusive.

The examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards applicable in the circumstances and included all procedures which were considered necessary. Insofar as could be ascertained within the scope of the examination, the financial transactions of the town appear to have been appropriately handled with, of course, such exception as is noted in the comments.

Exhibits and schedules incorporated in this report impartially present the financial position of the town and the result of its operations for the period designated.

Comments and other data incorporated in this report may prove of interest to you. All of which is respectfully submitted.

Very truly yours,
FRED M. BERRY,
State Auditor.

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COMMENTS

Re: Audit of Accounts—Town of Alfred
February 11, 1945 to February 11, 1946

An examination has been made of the books and records of the Town of Alfred for the municipal year ended February 11, 1946. During the examination a variation totaling $560.25 was noted in the accounts of the Tax Collector. Because of this variation, the accounts of the Tax Collector were brought up to August 12, 1946, the date of the audit. The variation then amounted to $887.72 and was settled in full by Mr. Warren Sayward, Tax Collector. A complete analysis of this variation may be found on Exhibit F of this report.

Cash

As far as could be ascertained, all monies received by the Treasurer had been correctly recorded and promptly deposited in the Sanford Trust Company. It was ascertained that all expenditures had been made by check and were authorized by warrants which had been signed by a majority of the Board of Selectmen. It was noted, however, that all disbursements were not supported by vouchers or payrolls. The cash balance of $6,166.97 as reflected by the records of the Treasurer reconciled with the bank statement dated February 18, 1946.

Balance per bank statement, February 18, 1946	
Sanford Trust Co., Sanford, Me.	$7,054.83
Add—Cash on Hand	.27
Total	$7,055.10
Deduct—Outstanding Checks	$ 888.13
Balance per Treasurer's Records February 11, 1946	$6,166.97

Accounts Receivable

The following were outstanding as accounts receivable at February 11, 1946:

State of Maine—Highway Department	$ 588.88
Warren Sayward—Tax Collector	560.25
	$1,149.13

These accounts have since been paid in full.

Taxes Receivable

The 1945 tax commitment was added and was found to agree with the valuation records and the warrant of commitment. All payments recorded as received were examined. It was noted that many accounts had not been properly credited and requests for verification were mailed to all outstanding tax accounts. All supplemental taxes and abatements were examined. A variation of $555.64 was noted in the accounts of the Tax Collector for the 1945 tax commitment. Because of this variation the accounts of the 1945 Tax Collector were also examined for the period February 12, 1946 to August 12, 1946, the date of the audit. The 1945 tax commitment is summarized as mollows:

	2/11/45 to 2/11/46	2/11/45 to 8/12/46
Cash Receipts	$30,061.85	$30,385.13
Abatements	24.15	49.90
Discounts	365.21	365.21
Transferred to Tax Liens		629.93
Due from Collector (Exhibit F)	555.64	883.11
Taxes Receivable	1,525.24	218.81
1945 Tax Commitment	$32,532.09	$32,532.09

The following variation was noted in the handling of the interest charges on 1945 taxes:

Interest collected from Marcia Shaw—2/1/46	$1.52
Cash paid to Treasurer	1.00
Due from Collector (Exhibit F)	$.52

The excise tax collections were examined and the following variations were noted in the records of the Collector:

	2/11/45 to 2/11/46	2/11/45 to 8/12/46
Excise Tax Receipts	$ 702.86	$ 997.46
Cash Paid to Treasurer	698.77	993.37
Due from Collector—Receipts No. 424 and No. 436 (Exhibit F)	$ 4.09	$ 4.09

These variations were settled in full by Mr. Warren Sayward on August 20, 1946.

Tax Liens

The tax liens were examined. It was ascertained that all payments recorded as received had been credited to the proper accounts.

Tax Deeds

There was no change in the tax deed account during the year under examination.

Investments

There was one $500 2½% Series G United States Savings Bond in the custody of the Treasurer. The interest of $12.50 was credited to General Government.

Special Funds

Parsons' Memorial Library	$3,122.66
Old Cemetery Account	$1,842.84

The bank pass books representing savings accounts and the bank statement of the checking account of the Parsons' Memorial Library Fund were examined. An analysis of these funds may be found on Schedule A-6 of this report.

Accounts Payable

All items which were authorized for payment by warrants, but which had not been paid as of February 11, 1946, were set up as accounts payable.

Surplus

The surplus at February 11, 1946 was:

Appropriated	$6,576.50
Unappropriated	$3,650.39
Total	$10,226.89

The appropriated surplus represents the net amount of all appropriation account balances or overdrafts which were carried forward to the 1946 municipal year.

The unappropriated surplus was decreased by $4,086.24 during the year under examination. The major factor contributing to this decrease was the transfer of $5,946.98 from surplus to certain appropriation accounts. An examination was made of the records of the Town Clerk but no record of a vote of the town authorizing this transfer was found.

General

The bonds of the Treasurer and Collector were examined. Each was bonded for $2,000 with the Maine Bonding and Casualty Company.

The accounts for the Fire Department were checked in detail and were in agreement with the statements shown in the town report.

TOWN
COMPARATIVE

February

ASSETS

		Feb. 11, 1946		Feb. 10, 1945
Cash		$ 6,166.97		$ 6,189.24
Accounts Receivable (Schedule A-1)		1,149.13		
Taxes Receivable:				
Current Year (Schedule A-2)	$ 1,525.24		$ 1,464.78	
Prior Years (Schedule A-2)	1,161.57		1,488.73	
	2,686.81		2,953.51	
Less—Reserve for Losses	876.86		975.51	
		1,809.95		1,978.00
Tax Liens (Schedule A-3)	2,240.44		2,580.70	
Less—Reserve for Losses	126.18		118.65	
		2,114.26		2,462.05
Tax Deeds (Schedule A-4	97.14		97.14	
Less—Reserve for Losses	48.57		48.57	
		48.57		48.57
Investments (Schedule A-5)		500.00		500.00
Special Funds (Schedule A-6):				
Parsons' Memorial Library	3,122.66		2,862.92	
Old Cemetery Account	1,842.84		1,818.50	
		4,965.50		4,681.42
Total Assets—General Fund		$16,754.38		$15,859.28

EXHIBIT A

OF ALFRED
BALANCE SHEET

11, 1946

LIABILITIES				
Accounts Payable (Schedule A-7)		$ 385.32		$ 337.14
Deferred Revenue:				
Excise Taxes		1,176.67		688.17
Special Funds (Schedule A-6):				
Parsons' Memorial Library	$ 3,122.66		$ 2,862.92	
Old Cemetery Account	1,842.84		1,818.50	
		4,965.50		4,681.42
SURPLUS				
Appropriated (Exhibit D)	6,576.50		2,415.92	
Unappropriated (Exhibit E)	3,650.39		7,736.63	
		10,226.89		10,152.55
Total Liabilities and Surplus—General Fund		$16,754.38		$15,859.28

EXHIBIT D

TOWN OF ALFRED
STATEMENT OF DEPARTMENTAL OPERATIONS
YEAR ENDED FEBRUARY 11, 1946

	Balance 2/11/45	Appropriations	Cash Receipts	Other Credits	Total Available	Cash Disbursements	Other Charges	BALANCES LAPSED Overdraft	BALANCES LAPSED Unexpended	Balance 2/11/46
General Government										
Incidentals		$ 2,500.00	$ 212.41		$2,712.41	$ 2,508.23	$ 320.83	$ 116.65		
Protection										
Fire Department		500.00			500.00	454.77			45.23	
Purchase of New Hose		150.00			150.00	150.00				
Electric Street Lights		600.00			600.00	554.76			45.24	
Insurance on Town Property		600.00			600.00	648.69		48.69		
Hydrants		1,600.00			1,600.00	1,600.00				
		3,450.00			3,450.00	3,408.22		48.69	90.47	
Health and Sanitation										
Public Health Officer		25.00			25.00	25.00				
Public Health Nurse		75.00			75.00	75.00				
		100.00			100.00	100.00				
Highways and Bridges										
Highways and Bridges		1,500.00			1,500.00	1,516.85		16.85		
Roads in Winter		2,000.00	773.06		2,773.00	3,031.40		258.40		
Highway Patrol		759.00			759.00	126.00				633.00
State Aid Road Const.	729.75				729.75					729.75
3rd class Road Maint.	874.12	472.00		588.88	1,935.00	1,093.24				841.76
Cutting Bushes		400.00			400.00	143.85			256.15	

Cutting Bushes, State Roads	200.00				200.00					200.00
Rural Roads						298.13				298.13
	1,803.87	5,131.00	773.00	588.88	8,296.75	6,209.47		275.25	256.15	2,106.38
Charities										
Support of Poor		200.00	169.50		369.50				369.50	
War Veterans' Relief		300.00			300.00	12.00			288.00	
		500.00	169.50		669.50	12.00			657.50	
Education										
Schools	612.05	13,000.00	3,931.93		17,543.98	15,216.54				2,327.44
Repairs and Insurance		2,000.00	3.50		2,003.50	1,734.38				269.12
Repairs, School Basement		500.00			500.00	496.61				3.39
Plumbing, School		5,000.00			5,000.00	3,129.83				1,870.17
Salary of Supt.				320.83	320.83	320.83				
School Nurse		25.00			25.00	25.00				
	612.05	20,525.00	3,935.43	320.83	25,393.31	20,923.19				4,470.12
Library										
Parsons' Memorial		350.00			350.00	350.00				
Interest										
General			255.01	41.60	296.61	37.00			259.61	
Unclassified										
Discounts and Abatements		300.00			300.00		505.68	205.68		
Care of Fountain and Park		25.00			25.00	25.00				
		325.00			325.00	25.00	505.68	205.68		
Special Assessments										
State Tax		4,274.33			4,274.33	4,274.33				
County Tax		770.42			770.42	770.42				
		5,044.75			5,044.75	5,044.75				
Total, All Departments	$2,415.92	$37,925.75	$5,345.35	$951.31	$46,638.33	$38,617.86	$826.51	$646.27	$1,263.73	$6,576.50
EXHIBITS		(C)	(B)			(B)		(E)	(E)	(A)

EXHIBIT E

TOWN OF ALFRED

ANALYSIS OF CHANGE IN UNAPPROPRIATED SURPLUS

YEAR ENDED FEBRUARY 11, 1946

Unappropriated Surplus—February 11, 1945			$ 7,736.63
Adjustments Affecting Prior Years:			
Credits—			
Decrease to the Reserve Account		$ 91.12	
Charges—			
Adjustments on Tax Lien Settlement		10.09	
			81.03
ADJUSTED SURPLUS			7,817.66
Decrease:			
Transfer to Appropriation (Exhibit C)		5,946.98	
Increase:			
Appropriation Balances—			
Unexpended (Exhibit D)	$ 1,263.73		
Overdraft (Exhibit D)	646.27		
	617.46		
Overlay	1,061.51		
Supplemental Taxes	100.74		
Total Increase		1,779.71	
NET DECREASE			4,167.27
UNAPPROPRIATED SURPLUS—February 11, 1946 (Exhibit A)			$3,650.39

EXHIBIT F

TOWN OF ALFRED

STATEMENT OF AMOUNT DUE FROM TAX COLLECTOR

August 12, 1946

	February 11, 1945 to August 12, 1946		February 11, 1945 to February 11, 1946	
Amount to be Accounted for:				
1945 Tax Commitment	$32,452.11		$32.452.11	
Supplemental Taxes	79.98		79.98	
Total Assessment Charged to Collector		32,532.09		32,532.09
Excise Taxes:				
1945 Receipts	179.43		179.43	
1946 Receipts	818.03		523.43	
Total Excise Taxes		997.46		702.86
Interest on Taxes		132.77		111.44
Total to be Accounted for		33,662.32		33,346.39
Deduct:				
Payments to Treasurer:				
Taxes	30,375.48		30,061.85	

Excise Taxes	993.37		698.77		
Interest on Taxes	132.25		110.92		
Credit by Treasurer's Receipts No. 334, 8/12/46	9.65				
Total Payments to Treasurer		31,510.75		30,871.54	
Credits Allowed:					
Transferred to Tax Liens	629.93				
Discounts on Taxes	365.21		365.21		
Abatements	49.90		24.15		
Taxes Receivable	218.81		1,525.24		
Total Credits Allowed		1,263.85		1,914.60	
Total Deductions			32,774.60		32,786.14
Due from Collector:					
Taxes		883.11		555.64	
Excise Taxes		4.09		4.09	
Interest on Taxes		.52		.52	
Total			$887.72		$560.25

The complete report of the audit, as required by Chapter 80, Section 119, Revised Statutes of 1944, and amended by Chapter 84, Public Laws of 1945, is on file in the office of the Selectmen.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Dudley T. Forrest, Clerk

Record of Deaths Commencing March 1, 1946

		Yeas.	Months	Days
Jan. 27	Charles A. Allen at Portsmouth, N. H.	75	5	20
	(The above notice was received too late to be included in previous town report)			
Mar. 10	George Howard Edwards at Waterboro	83	10	5
Apr. 30	Henry Fritzsche, at Fairfield, Me.	60	1	27
May 5	John L. Hart at Sanford	83	1	4
May 12	Mary Ann Welch at Alfred	91	6	2
May 12	Webster Carter at Concord, N. H.	67	9	4
May 15	Edward Lewis Maxwell at Togus	55	11	13
May 31	Alice M. Allen at Portsmouth, N. H.	76		
July 10	Lora Belle Rankin at Alfred	82	3	3
July 28	Linnie May Chadbourne at Alfred	72	10	6
Aug. 12	Frank J. Smith at Worcester, Mass.	72	7	7
Sept.	Hedie Ruby Gilpatrick at Sanford, stillborn			
Oct. 2	Hattie B. Hayes Hallett at Wilton, Mass.	82	9	27
Oct. 10	John N. Matheson at Portland	40		
Oct. 22	William H. Townsend at Portsmouth, N. H.	67	2	8

Oct. 24	Emery Stanley Littlefield at Alfred	58	3	7
Nov. 21	Hattie Morrison Littlefield at Springvale	56	1	20
Nov. 30	Elizabeth Adeline Pease at Alfred	59	11	16
Dec. 20	Barry James Thompson, at Sanford	Minutes		
Dec. 29	Mabel Lander Webster at Alfred	77	4	16
Jan. 12	Carrie Belle Leach at Alfred	79	5	27
Jan. 20	John Albert Siegars at Alfred	67	11	13
Jan. 30	Lona Small at Lynn, Mass.	83		

Respectfully submitted,

DUDLEY T. FORREST
Clerk.

DOG LICENSES

Number of Dogs	98
Males	75
Females	9
Spayed Females	14

Amount Collected	$ 74.40
Paid Secretary of Agriculture	$ 74.40

Respectfully submitted,

DUDLEY T. FORREST,
Clerk.

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

To the Board of Directors of Parsons Memorial Library:

Gentlemen:

I present the following as the forty-second report of Parsons Memorial Library.

This year has been busier at the library, as the hours have been lengthened to coincide with the school's new time schedule and many more books have been loaned to the pupils for reviews.

At the annual meeting Mrs. Carrol Beals was appointed assistant librarian, to take the place of the librarian, in case of enforced absence. We have added about one hundred and fifty-three new books during the year. About half of the number were given us through the generosity of different members of the Parsons family and several interested friends in town.

During the latter part of August and first of September the library was closed while being re-decorated and the lightning system improved. This was made possible through the generosity of Mr. Henry Parsons, who again has remembered us with a generous check.

Upon reopening the building, the general public was invited to a silver tea, with the added attraction of Mr. Adelbert Jakeman of Ocean Park, as guest speaker. Those attending pronounced the afternoon a most enjoyable occasion and hoped it would be repeated.

Members of the Parsons family have shown their continued interest by visiting us during the summer. Mrs. Charles Millmine presented us with a check, which more than completed a fund started several

years ago by the A. A. M. Class, towards a new dictionary, which has now been purchased.

A committee was appointed by the librarian to procure a speaker for Book Week, but no one being available, we were sorry not to make more observance of this special time, set aside for children. We did, however, have Book Week posters and an exhibition of some fine children's classics, sent from the State Library for the occasion.

Everyone speaks of the improved appearance of the library and I feel on the whole, this has been a satisfactory year.

I am still hoping sometime in the not too distant future, we may acquire the Encyclopedia Americana.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE R. HEWEY,
Librarian.

The following is a list of books added during the last year:

Agar, Herbert A Time for Greatness
Anson, Peter F. How to Draw Ships

Bach, Julian America's Germany
Baldwin, Faith The Heart Remembers
Bangs, Ella Matthews The King's Mark
Barber, Elsie Oakes The Wall Between
Bassett, Sara Ware The Beacon
Battle, Florence Jeremy Goes Fishing
Bauer, Florence Marvyne Behold Your King
Bird, Dorothy Maynard Mystery at Laughing Water

Bradley, Cliff Building the Small Boat
Brill, Ethel C. Madeleine Takes Command
Bronte, Charlotte Jane Eyre
Bristow, Gwen Deep Summer
Bristow, Gwen Tomorrow Is Forever
Burgess, Perry Who Walks Alone

Carroll, Lewis Alice's Adventures in Wonderland
Caruso, Dorothy Enrico Caruso
Cavannah, Frances Benjy of Boston
Cavanna, Betty Going on Sixteen
Chamberlin, Wm. Henry The Russian Enigma
Chamberlain, Geo. Agnew....Scudda-Hoo! Scudda Hay!
Cheney, Sheldon Men Who Have Walked With God
Christman, Henry Tin Horns and Calico
Clapper, Olive Ewing Washington Tapestry
Coffin, Robert P. Tristram
..... People Behave Like Ballads
Cole. G. D. and H. W.
..... The Murder at the Munition Works
Coleman, Satis Volcanoes New and Old
Comfort, Mildred H.
..... Peter and Nancy in the U. S. and Canada
Cooke, David C., Editor
..... Best Detective Stories of the Year
Curie, Eve Journey Among Warriors
Curtis, Muriel S. The Story of the Bible People

Daly, Maureen Seventeenth Summer
Daly, Maureen Smoother and Smarter
Daly, Shelia Personality Plus
Davis, Robert Gid Granger
Dern, Peggy Heart's Home
Donahey, Wm. Teenie Weenie Neighbors
Donahey, Wm. and Baker, Effie E.
..... The Teenie Weenies

Duffield, Anne Repent at Leisure
Dyer, Caroline The Three Famous Ugly Sisters

Fast, Howard The American
Faulkner, Edward H. Plowman's Folly
Fitts, Clara Atwood Jeremy Mouse and His Friends
Fitzpatrick, Kathleen They Lived in County Down
Foster, Elizabeth The Islanders
Forester, C. S. The Captain from Connecticut
Foster and Watt Voices of Liberty
Funk, Chas. Earle, Editor International Year Book

Gaddus, Peggy Country Doctor
Galt, Tom Volcano
Glmore, Beatrice V. Beyond the Crystal Cave
Godden, Rumer The River
Gould, R. E. The Yankee Storekeeper
Gould, John Farmer Takes a Wife
Graham, Shirley and Lipscomb, Geo. Dewey
..... Dr. Geo. Washington Carver
Graham, Elinor Maine Charm String
Grenfel, Wilfred Down to the Sea
Grey, Zane Shadow on the Trail

Hay, Ella H. Happy Days on the Farm
Hill, Grace L. Bright Arrows
Hill, Grace L. More Than Conqueror
Hindle, Wilfred, Editor We Were There
Howard, Warren Beloved Brat
Hull, Helen Hawk's Flight
Hume, Edward Drs. East and Drs. West
Hylander, Clarence and Harding, Robert J.
..... An Introduction to Television

Ingersoll, Ralph Top Secret

James, Will The Lone Cowboy
Jennings, John The Salem Frigate
Jones, Mary Alice Tell Me About God
Jones, Elizabeth Orton Told Under the Stars and Stripes
Jong, Dola Picture Story of Holland

Keene, Carolyn Mystery of the Tolling Bell
Keyes, Frances Parkinson The River Road
Kitson, Harry Dexter Vocations for Girls
Kiviat, Esther Paji
Klemper, John Letter to Five Wives

Laxness, Haldor Independent People
Lenski, Lois Strawberry Girl
Lenski, Lois The Little Fire Engine
Lehman, Rosamond Dusty Answer
Liebman, Joshua Loth Peace of Mind
Logan, Louise Nurse Merton Comes Home
Loring, Emilie Bright Skies
Lyons, Dorothy Golden Sovereign

MacKay, Ruth Just Like Me
Maughm, W. Somerset Then and Now
Marquand, John P. B. F.'s Daughter
Maurier, du, Daphne The King's General
McArdie, Dorothy The Unforseen
McSwigan, Marie Hi! Barney!
Miller, Helen Topping Wicked Sister
Miller, Helen Topping Shod with Flame
Mitchell, Edwin Valentine It's An Old New England Custom
Montgomery, Elizabeth Rider Great Medical Discoveries
Moore, Ruth Spoonhandle
Morgan, Helen L. Mistress of the White House

Nehru, Krishna With No Regrets
Norris, Kathleen Heartbroken Melody

O'Hara, Mary Green Grass of Wyoming
Osborne, Letitia Preston Through Purple Glass

Page, Elizabeth Wilderness Adventure
Paschal, Nancy Clover Creek
Perenyi, Eleanor None Was Lost
Perkins, Frances The Roosevelt I Knew
Petersham, Maud and Miska The Rooster Crows
Poole, Ernest
..... The Great White Hills of New Hampshire
Porter, Catherine Anne The Leaning Tower
Post, Emily Blue Book of Etiquette
Pyle, Ernie Last Chapter

Rau, Santha Rama Home of India
Ray, Jim The Story of American Aviation
Report of the Howard Com.
..... General Education in a Free Society
Rich, Louis Dickinson Happy the Land
Roche, de la Maza Return to Jalna
Russell and Briggs The Meaning of Democracy
Schmitt, Gladys David, the King
Scott, Col. Robert God Is My Co-Pilot
Seagrave, Gordon Burma Surgeon Returns
Swell, Alma Black Beauty
Seymour, Alta Halverson The Tangled Skein
Sharp, Marjorie Brittania News
Sheean, Vincent San Felicé
Shepard, Odel and Willard Holdfast Gaines
Shiber, Etta Paris Underground
Silliman, Leland The Scrapper at Camp Blazing Rock
Sinclair, Jo Wasteland

Skinner, Chas. M. Myths and Legends Beyond Our Borders
Smith, Glanville Many a Green Isle
Smith, Lawrence Dwight Adirondack Adventure
Snow, Edgar Rowe Pirates and Buccaneers of the Atlantic Coast
Snow, Edgar Rowe Famous Lighthouses of New England
Stevenson, Augusta Ben Franklin, Printer's Boy
Stoddard, Anne Topflight
Street, Alicia The Land of the English People
Sues, Ilona Ralf Sharks Fins and Millet
Sugrue, Thomas Starling of the White House

Tarbell, Arthur Wilson Cape Cod Ahoy
Taylor, Henry J. Men and Power
Towne, Charles Hanson Jogging Around New England
Travers, P. L. Mary Poppins Opens the Door

Walker, Hattie A. The Snow Children
Waldeck, Jo Besse Jungle Journey
Ward, Arthur The Hand of Fu Manchu
Webster's New International Dictionary
West, Jessamyn Friendly Persuasion
Welty, Eudora Delta Wedding
White, Wm. Allen The Autobiography of Wm. Allen White
Willison, Geo. F. Saints and Strangers
Wolfe, Linnie Marsh Son of the Wilderness (John Muir)

Yutang, Lin With Love and Irony

REPORT OF THE MAINE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

I herein submit a brief report of service rendered the Town of Alfred by the York County Tuberculosis and Health Association for the period beginning January 1, 1946 to December 31, 1946.

During January, 36 students were given tuberculin tests. One reactor was found and X-rayed, also two previous reactors had chest X-rays in Sanford at the State Diagnostic Clinic. The diagnostic clinics are of great educational value as they guard the health of contacts; preventing the development of active TB, also prevent relapses in quiescent and arrested cases and reveal diagnosis; hence checking the spread of the disease in the community. The funds from the sale of the Tuberculosis Christmas Seals are helping to carry on the extensive work in case finding which is now in progress. No case finding program in the schools would be complete without including all school personnel.

Various health education material, including Facts About TB and Good Health practices were given to the school.

Vision and hearing tests given to all school children. Seventy-five high school and grades 5, 6, 7, and 8 were given hearing tests with the audiometer loaned to us by the Maine Public Health Association. Thirteen students were found to have hearing losses ranging from 6 to 16 per cent. Recommendations for corrections advised.

Two immunization clinics were held in the school building in May and June. Immunizing was done by Dr. Richards.

28 children were given smallpox vaccinations.
25 children were given diphtheria toxoid.

Annual inspections completed in all grades.

Number of pupils inspected	137
Number pupils with no dental defects	57

Number pupils with the following defects:

Teeth (deciduous)	54
Teeth (permanent)	39
Throat	14
Vision	3
Hearing	13
Skin	2
Evidence of Pediculi	4

Corrections made during the year:

Teeth	31
Throat	3
Vision	8
Hearing	1

Several special inspections in school because of ringworm, scabies and other communicable diseases. Many field nursing visits made during the year.

With sincere thanks to Mr. Wright, Superintendent of Schools, A. A. M. Club, Red Cross, American Legion Auxiliary and the teachers who have been very generous with their time and efforts in assisting with the Health Program.

Respectfully submitted,

YORK COUNTY TUBERCULOSIS
AND HEALTH ASSOCIATION
By: NELLIE P. SAWYER, R. N.
Public Health Nurse.

ANNUAL REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICER

February 26, 1947

To the Selectmen, Town of Alfred, Maine:

Since my return and reappointment as health officer by the Selectmen, two mild epidemics have visited Alfred, measles in 1945 and chickenpox in 1946. To the best of my knowledge almost every case of each was reported to me in person or by telephone. I appreciate the cooperation the townspeople have given in this situation.

The Public Health Nurse, Nellie P. Sawyer, R. N., has done valuable work in the school especially in arranging immunization clinics and in tuberculosis surveys. I wish to thank her for her cooperative spirit.

Robert T. Hardy has been reappointed plumbing inspector for 1946.

Only one nuisance dangerous to life and health was reported to me during the year. The owner of the property was notified and willingly took steps to remove the nuisance.

Respectfully submitted,
CARL E. RICHARDS, M. D.,
Local Health Officer.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Superintending School Committee and the Citizens of Alfred:

I herewith submit the annual report of schools:

There are 142 pupils registered in the elementary grades, classified as follows: Sub-primary, 23; Grade 1, 15; Grade 2, 20; Grade 3, 15; Grade 4, 12; Grade 5, 22; Grade 6, 14; Grade 7, 6; Grade 8, 15.

We have been fortunate this year in retaining all regular classroom teachers. Last fall Mrs. Helen Dolley resigned as supervisor of music. Thus far the position has not been filled. This fact is to be regretted. However, teachers of school music who will teach in the smaller systems are difficult to obtain. Possibly a union or two or more neighboring towns could make the position of music supervisor sufficiently attractive to induce full time, qualified teachers to accept the position.

Due to labor and material shortages we have not accomplished all we had hoped to in the matter of repairs and improvements. This accounts for the substantial balance in the repairs account.

We have been able to finish the interior painting; made some improvement in the heating, where more radiation was necessary; equipped the lunchroom with tables and benches; and purchased new window shades, some of which are still on order. The pipe for supplying a larger amount of water for fire protection has been purchased but has not been laid. We have been unable to do anything regarding improvement

of the lighting system beyond having a survey made and a plan submitted.

We are making a recommendation this year that fire escapes be installed. Although the building conforms with the law in that it has "two separate means of egress," we feel that these exits are so located that both could be cut off by fire at the same time. This matter should be given your serious consideration.

Two bills relating to increase in teachers' salaries are before the present legislature. One proposes a yearly minimum salary of $1,500. The other provides for a salary range from $1,000 to $2,000 depending upon the number of years training a teacher has had. In anticipation of the passage of one of these bills, it will be necessary for the town to be prepared to meet this situation.

In conclusion I wish to express my appreciation to the teachers, the committee, and all those who have helped in any way to make the school year a profitable one.

Respectfully submitted,

MAYNARD E. WRIGHT,
Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF HIGH SCHOOL

To the School Board, the Superintendent of Schools, and the Citizens of the Town of Alfred, I submit the following report:

School opened on Monday, September 9th, with an enrollment of 12 boys and 24 girls—making a total of

36 pupils. One pupil enrolled on October 10th and since then 5 pupils have left school—leaving a final enrollment of 32 pupils. By classes this is: 7 seniors, 2 juniors, 11 sophomores, and 12 freshmen.

The College Preparatory Course and the General Course have been offered this year. Nine students are taking the College Preparatory Course; the remaining students are taking the General Course.

This year we have had periodic assemblies with guest speakers who spoke on subjects covering a broad field. The speakers and their subjects were:

Work as a Commando—George Townsend

Radar—George Willard

The Court System of Maine—Judge Edward S. Titcomb

Historic Mansions of York County—Mary Carpenter Kelley

Soil Conservation Motion Pictures—Delbert S. Moody

The Christmas Story—Rev. Frederic Charrier

The Work of the Experimental Forest Service—C. A. Bickford

The Other Fellow—Rev. Charles Stevens

Ann Hathaway's Cottage, Shakespeare's Home and Memorial Theatre—Miss Lillian W. Gould.

The visual educational program has been handicapped this year due to the fact that our projector is not in suitable working condition. We have shown several films by borrowing a projector from Water-

boro High School and from the Farm Bureau Office in Sanford.

The students have participated in all of the extra-curricular activities of the Central York County League and have made a creditable showing in all events. All teams showed a decided improvement over last year and next year should be a winning year for most of the sports teams. Events in which the students have participated are: horseshoes, checkers, spelling, basketball, public speaking, baseball, track and softball.

We have been handicapped in music this year due to the resignation of the music supervisor. The high school is indebted to Mrs. Josephine Gould for the time that she has given to help with music. It is hoped that a trained music supervisor may be obtained to teach in the schools of this union.

I want to take this opportunity to express my appreciation to the Superintendent of Schools, School Board, Teachers, Selectmen, townspeople and to the students for their cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

MALCOLM W. ROBERTS,
Principal.

THE LUNCH PROGRAM IN THE ALFRED VILLAGE SCHOOL

The school lunch program during the current year, supported as it has been, by its sponsors, the Parents' Club, the United States Department of Agriculture, and the Town of Alfred, has made phenomenal growth. During the 13 weeks from November 12, 1946 to February 14, 1947, 6,650 meals were served, 518 of which were free. During the corresponding period of the preceding year 3,398 meals were served. An average of 125 pupils besides the teachers now take lunch daily.

The total cost of food and labor for the above 13 weeks was $1,773.50, while the total income was $1,244.25 for meals plus $561.96 from the U. S. Department of Agriculture, or $1,806.21. In other words there was a difference of only $32.71 between income and expenditure. Incidental expenses are taken care of by the so-called emergency fund which comprises the sum of $187.78 carried over from last year plus the proceeds of money-earning projects of the Parents' Club. This organization has, for example, put on three suppers this year for the York County Poultrymen's Association and earned $169.66. Two were served in Conant Memorial Chapel and the third in the school lunchroom using the regulation compartment trays, and all were under the management of Mrs. Carl N. Hanson.

The work of the treasurer for the lunch program, Mrs. Arthur A. Gould, entails much involved accounting, as every meal must be listed and paid for in order to figure the amount due from the government on the basis of nine cents per meal. As lunches are available at three different rates, 75 cents weekly for pupils from

the sub-primary to the fifth grade, $1.00 from the fifth grade through high school, and $1.50 weekly for the teachers, bookkeeping is complicated. Mrs. Gould also pays all bills for foods and supplies. No reduction in rates because of absence can be made as the expense of food and labor is unvarying.

It is the policy of the Parents' Club to divide its buying equally between the two local grocery stores and that it has done so successfully is shown by the treasurer's accounts; Grover C. Downs will have received the business for 32 days and John A. Roberts for 32 days by the end of February. Pasteurized milk is bought from the Badger Farms Creamery, apples from the Henry W. Brock storage plant, eggs from Paul Garvin, carrots from Carl Clark and chicken from Edgar P. Moulton, all local people. Certain amounts of some foods have been given the school by the Produce and Market Administration. These included 3,000 pounds potatoes, 300 pounds onions, and a half dozen No. 10 cans of beets.

A large amount of canned fruits and vegetables resulted from the work of the school canning project last season under different leaders. Mrs. Percy F. Morrill and her assistants put up 3½ bushels of peaches and one bushel of pears; Mrs. Harold R. Hall five bushels tomatoes; Mrs. Carl N. Hanson three bushels apples, and Mrs. James E. Briggs five bushels corn. The canning was done in the school kitchen with modern canning implements. When the corn was put up Mrs. Briggs had the assistance of several of the men whose wives are active in the Parents' Club, Jerry A. Gile, William Schlipp, James E. Briggs and Delbert L. Moody.

These men and others volunteered to paint the floor

of the new lunch room in the school basement just before the program was started in the fall, and as an incentive they were served an oyster supper by the Parents' Club the evening of the painting. The paint was donated. This lunch room, now heated and furnished with tables and benches, does away with the carrying of the trays to their desks by the pupils, as was formerly done.

Two full-time workers are now employed to cook and serve the lunches, Mrs. James J. Momna and Mrs. Clifford Nutter. The two small gas ranges in the kitchen were turned in toward a large restaurant size range costing $289.00, $150.00 of which was paid by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, and 50 more compartment service trays have been purchased. A further gift from the Department of Agriculture is soon to be forthcoming as a requisition for a water heater, a vegetable slicer and shredder and a supply of stainless steel forks and spoons, the whole amounting to $197.69, has just been approved by Harold E. Carsons, head of the School Lunch Program of the State of Maine.

Mr. Carson inspected the kitchen, lunch room, and equipment on February 4, and expressed approval of the entire set-up, commending the tray service particularly. The lack of hot water in the kitchen was of course, a serious deficiency for reasons of convenience and sanitation.

The York County Tuberculosis and Health Nurse, Nellie P. Sawyer, of Limington, who has been a guest of the Parents' Club at lunch, has made the following statement in regard to the value of the school lunch program: "Children especially need three square meals a day. Eating inadequately results in irritability, fatigue, and physical defects. The adequate school

lunch now being served in Alfred is of high vitamin value and affords an effective means of teaching and improving health and eating habits.

"The hot dish, supplemented with fruit, milk, nutritious sandwiches, and properly prepared vegetables, is nicely served and supervised and is enjoyed by the children. I can see, as a result of the lunch, that they are doing better work and that the general health of the students is improved throughout the school."

The Parents' Club now has 31 members and would welcome newcomers not only as members but as workers on the executive board. The club wishes, in presenting this report to the citizens of Alfred, to thank them all for their continued interest and help in making the lunch program available.

Respectfully submitted,

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF
THE PARENTS' CLUB.

(Written for the Parents' Club by
MARY CARPENTER KELLEY)

SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Resources

Balance, 1946		$2,327.44	
Appropriation, March, 1946		12,000.00	
State School Fund		4,362.20	
State Equalization		530.00	
Tuition:			
Ralph Littlefield	$ 36.00		
C. Allen Bickford	15.00		
Henry W. Brock	36.00		
Marjorie Littlefield	15.00		
		102.00	
Refund, The Macmillan Co.		5.20	
Total Resources			$19,326.84

Expenditures

	Elementary	Secondary	
Instruction	$7,018.75	$3,930.75	
Fuel	435.14	431.61	
Janitor Service	952.50	733.50	
Conveyance	2,728.81		
Tuition		1,000.00	
Text Books	238.66	198.03	
Supplies	363.47	257.39	
	$11,737.33	$6,551.28	
Total Expenditures			$18,288.61
Balance, February, 1947			1,038.23
			$19,326.84

ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES

Instruction

	Elementary	Secondary	
Josephine D. Gould	$1,353.75		
Dorothy W. DeBertram	1,173.50		
Celia M. Day	1,360.00		
Beatrice L. Clark	1,300.37		
Hattie E. Clark	1,309.25		
Alice Morey	223.00		
Mary Steele	79.75		
Marcia W. Shaw	100.13	$ 26.75	
Helen M. Dolley	119.00	34.00	
Malcolm W. Roberts		2,110.00	
Miriam B. Moody		1,760.00	
	$7,018.75	$3,930.75	
Total			$10,949.50

Fuel

Shepard & Morse Lumber Co.	$ 5.90	$ 5.00	
H. Albert Roberts	429.24	426.61	
	$ 435.14	$ 431.61	
Total			$ 866.75

Janitor Service

Everett Kimball	$ 942.50	$ 728.50	
Kenneth Yates	10.00	5.00	
	$ 952.50	$ 733.50	
Total			$1,686.00

Conveyance

	Elementary	Secondary
Roscoe Hussey	$1,202.50	
Harold Hall	1,062.00	
Everett Kmball	329.00	
Elwin Morey	31.00	
Dorothy W. DeBertram	10.00	
Leavitt Ins. Agency	75.46	
Homer E. Crooker Ins. Agency	18.85	
Total		$2,728.81

Tuition

Town of Sanford	$1,000.00

Text Books

	Elementary	Secondary
Gledhill Bros., Inc.	$ 4.62	
Silver Burdett Co.	2.93	
Frontier Press Co. of Boston	17.60	
Scott, Foresman & Co.	34.40	
Rand McNally Co.	52.12	
F. A. Owen Pub. Co.	30.00	
American Book Co.	25.13	
American Ed. Press	13.60	
The Arlo Pub. Co.	25.04	
Ginn & Co.	12.78	$ 80.89
The Macmillan Co.	8.25	10.35
World Book Co.	12.19	8.32
The National Geog. Society		3.50
Sam Fox Pub. Co.		10.87
Boston Herald-Trav. Corp.		4.45

H. W. Wilson Co.	6.00	
Americana Corp.	69.75	
Gessler Pub Co.	3.90	
	$ 238.66	$ 198.03
Total		$ 436.69

Supplies

	Elementary	Secondary	
E. G. Knights	$ 1.00		
Maine Public Health Association	.53		
Berry Paper Co.	15.22	$ 4.00	
Floor-Shine Wax Co.	25.00	19.40	
Boston Janitor Supply Service	11.84	8.00	
Thomas B. Tupper	9.75	7.00	
Whitcomb Supply Co.	2.71	2.00	
John A. Roberts	12.72	2.00	
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	112.29	27.08	
C. B. Dolge Co.	29.13	18.40	
Loring, Short & Harmon	20.00	17.63	
J. L. Hammet & Co.	4.32	8.69	
Maynard E. Wright	6.03	3.23	
Ginn & Co.	4.00	1.50	
Central Maine Power Co.	83.23	80.92	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	25.70	39.29	
D. K. Hammet Co.		18.25	
	$ 363.47	$ 257.39	
Total			$ 620.86

REPAIRS ACCOUNT

Resources

Balance, Sewage, Water Heat Accounts	$1,870.17
Balance, Repairs Accounts	269.12
Appropriation, March, 1946	1,000.00
Total Resources	$3,139.29

Expenditures

	Elementary	Secondary
S. B. Emery	$ 6.10	
L. C. Andrew	94.14	
E. C. Ricker & Sons	1.36	
Harold Deshon	91.25	
J. W. Plummer	10.24	
Fred E. St. Cyr	17.68	
Town of Waterboro	17.82	
J. A. Roberts	89.47	$ 23.35
Ernest Gallant	15.00	10.00
M. F. Bragdon Paint Co.	28.81	20.00
Alfred Incidental Account	102.29	100.00
Ralph W. Smith	3.10	57.11
Wilfred Boulet	179.15	505.16
Forrest Clark	25.00	17.45
Clark's Garage	3.00	3.00
E. Nolet	127.75	53.94
Johns-Manville	120.24	84.00
N. J. Gendron Lumber Co.	19.87	8.00
Boston & Maine R. R.		2.73
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.		89.48

Charles Warren	27.50	
D. K. Hammett & Co.	123.23	
	$ 952.27	$1,124.95
Total Expenditures		$2,077.22
Balance, February, 1947		1,062.07
		$3,139.29

SUPERINTENDENCE ACCOUNT

Appropriation, March, 1946	$ 433.33
Paid Maynard E. Wright	433.33

SUMMARY

Resources

School Account	$19,326.84	
Repairs Account	3,139.29	
Superintendence Account	433.33	
Total Resources for all School Purposes		$22,899.46

Expenditures

School Account	$18,288.61	
Repairs Account	2,077.22	
Superintendence Account	433.33	
Total Expenditures for all School Purposes		$20,799.16
Balance on all School Accounts		2,100.30
		$22,899.46

TOWN WARRANT

STATE OF MAINE

County of York, ss.

To Dudley T. Forrest, a constable of the Town of Alfred, said County.

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said Town of Alfred, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet at the Town House in said Town on the fifteenth day of March 1947 A. D. at Ten o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following Articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, Treasurer, Collector, Superintendent of Schools, Road Commissioners, Town Clerk, and other town officers.

Article 3. To elect a Town Clerk, three Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor, one member Superintending School Committee for three years, Town Treasurer, Road Commissioners, Tax Collector, Constable, two Directors Parsons Memorial Library for three years.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to elect a Road Commissioner or Commissioners as per Section 16, Chapter 5 of the Revised Statutes of 1930, not exceeding three and proceed to elect the same.

Article 5. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for purchase of fire hose for Alfred Fire Department.

Article 6. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for maintenance of Alfred Fire Department.

Article 7. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for hydrant rental and town water service as per contract with Alfred Water Company.

Article 8. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for care of Fountain and Park.

Article 9. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Discounts and Abatements for the ensuing year.

Article 10. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Street Lighting.

Article 11. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Maintenance of Highways and Bridges.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise money by tax assessment and appropriate for construction of State Aid Roads in addition to the amounts regularly raised for Ways, Highways and Bridges under the provisions of Section 25 and 29, Chapter 20, R. S. 1944 as amended.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of $1,066.00 for State Aid Construction No. 8.

Article 14. To see if the town will vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of $533.00 for State Aid Construction No. 3.

Article 15. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for repairing, resurfacing and tarring the road from Oak Street to old Boston and Maine Depot.

Article 16. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate to go with the money the State may furnish to be used on Road No. 7 known as Gile Road.

Article 17. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Incidental Expenses.

Article 18. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Insurance on Town Property.

Article 19. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Maintenance of State Aid Highways.

Article 20. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Opening Roads in Winter.

Article 21. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Parsons Memorial Library.

Article 22. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Repairs, Equipment, Insurance and Improvements on School Buildings.

Article 23. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Support of Elementary and Secondary Schools including salary and tuition.

Article 24. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for the services of a Public Health Nurse.

Article 25. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for the services of a Public Health Officer.

Article 26. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Relief for the Poor.

Article 27. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for War Veterans' Aid Account.

Article 28. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Cutting Bushes.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote, raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 80, Section 95 of the Revised Statutes of Maine.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote, raise and appropriate a sum of money to erect a suitable permanent memorial for World War veterans of Wars No. 1 and 2 and to fix that sum.

Article 31. To see if the Town will take action to determine the dates between which service with the armed forces of the United States for World War 2 shall entitle one's name to be inscribed on such Memorial.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote the sum of $50.00 to pay for writing up new valuation book.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to install two fire escapes on High School Building.

Article 34. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for fire escapes.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to resurface and tax the road from State Highway No. 8 to Franklin Grant's.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to

retar the Brackett Hill Road from E. C. Ricker & Sons to Swett's Bridge, road from old Embroidery Mill to Sam Thyng's, and from Percy Morrill past Grange Hall, also from State Highway No. 202 to State Highway No. 111.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,00.00 to purchase six cement setters for the park.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to procure a temporary loan or loans in anticipation of taxes for the purpose of paying obligations of the Town; such loan or loans to be paid during the current municipal year out of money raised during said current municipal year from taxes.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to accept the steel flag pole erected on the Park as a permanent pole.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to increase salary of the Selectmen and Town Treasurer $100.00 each.

Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to pay the Collector of Taxes three-fourths of one per cent of the total collection of taxes.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to allow a discount of 2% on all taxes paid within 30 days after commitment.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to charge interest on all taxes unpaid on September 1st until paid and to fix the amount.

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell and dispose of property acquired by the Town by tax process and execute quit claim deeds in behalf of the inhabitants of the Town of Alfred for such property.

Article 45. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for resurfacing and tarring the road known as "Nutter Road," from State Road No. 111 ot Conrad Roux by petition of Clifford Nutter and nine others.

Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate the sum of $600.00, being money borrowed on note by vote at special meeting held in 1946. Money used on Nutter Road.

Article 47. To see if the Town of Alfred will instruct its Selectmen to either approve and allow, or disapprove and disallow on merits of type, architecture, beauty, location, public health and public comfort any and all future construction or remodeling of any home, mercantile building, barn, hovel, shed, garage and/or related structures and cause to be removed any of the aforementioned future construction built without approval of the Selectmen within the following described boundaries to wit: beginning at the highway bridge over the Middle Branch of the Mousam River near the Shepherd & Morse Lumber Company, thence northerly by the North Berwick road, so-called, to the Sanford Road, so-called; thence westerly by the Sanford Road to the Boston & Maine Railroad; thence by the said railroad in an easterly direction to the Massabesic River, so-called; thence southerly by the said Massabesic River to its confluence with the Middle Branch of the Mousam River; thence

in a westerly direction by the Middle Branch of the Mousam River to the point of beginning, until such time as a committee of five citizens of Alfred, including the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, shall report at the next regular town meeting on the advisability of the Town of Alfred creating and adopting zoning and building laws, so-called.

Article 48. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session at the above-named hall and place of meeting on Saturday, March 15, 1947, the day of said meeting, for the purpose of correcting the list of Voters, from 9:00 o'clock A. M. until the polls are closed. Polls will be open for voting at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon.

HERMAN J. SAYWARD,
JOHN H. YUILL,
Selectmen of Alfred.

DUDLEY T. FORREST,
Constable of the Town of Alfred.

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James W. Plummer

ALFRED, MAINE

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Annual Report

of the

Town Officers

of the

TOWN OF ALFRED

MAINE



For the Year Ending

FEBRUARY 6, 1948

George Williams
Town



ANNUAL REPORT

of the

Financial Condition

and the

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Town of ALFRED, MAINE

Together with the Report of

Selectmen, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Superintendent of Schools, High School Principal, Supervisor of Music, Alfred Fire Department, Directors and Librarian of Parsons Memorial Library

For the Year Ending February 6

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TOWN OFFICERS

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DUDLEY T. FORREST

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor
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JOHN H. YUILL CARL F. CLARK

Superintending School Committee
JAMES E. BRIGGS ELIZABETH A. BEALS
WILLARD STONE

Superintendent of Schools
MAYNARD E. WRIGHT

Treasurer
JAMES W. PLUMMER

Road Commissioners
THOMAS J. SCOTT HAROLD HALL

Tax Collector
FREEMAN P. BILLINGS

Health Officer
DR. CARL E. RICHARDS

Constable
DUDLEY T. FORREST

Directors Parsons Memorial Library
CHARLES L. STEVENS HERBERT B. FERNALD
MARION E. HEWEY
HATTIE E. CLARK BERTHA F. DREW
DAVID H. WILSON

REPORT OF BUDGET MEETING, FEBRUARY 17, 1948

$ 2,500.00	For Tank Truck.
1,250.00	For Alfred Fire Department.
1,600.00	For Water Service.
50.00	For Park and Fountain.
300.00	For Discounts and Abatements.
600.00	For Street Lights — or if Town so votes $592.40 per year for a ten-year contract.
1,500.00	For Highways and Bridges.
799.00	For State Aid Construction.
200.00	For Tarring Street from Route 111 to Depot.
2,500.00	For Incidentals.
700.00	For Insurance on Town Property.
987.10	For Maintenance of State Aid Highway.
3,000.00	For Opening Roads in Winter.
350.00	For Parsons Memorial Library.
1,900.00	For Repairs, Equipment, Insurance and Improvement on School Buildings.
15,000.00	For Support of Schools.
100.00	For Public Health Nurse.
25.00	For Public Health Officer.
100.00	For Relief of Poor.
100.00	For War Veteran Aid Account.
400.00	For Cutting Bushes.
50.00	For Writing up Valuation Books.
3,313.45	For Fire Account.

Voted to Adjourn,

EMERY S. LITTLEFIELD,
Clerk.

TOWN WARRANT

STATE OF MAINE

County of York, ss:

To Dudley T. Forrest, a Constable of the Town of Alfred, said County.

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said Town of Alfred, qualified by law to vote in Town Affairs, to meet at the Town House in said Town on the twentieth day of March, 1948 A. D. at Ten O'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, Treasurer, Collector, Superintendent of Schools, Road Commissioners, Town Clerk and other Town Officers.

Article 3. To elect a Town Clerk, three Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, one member Superintending School Committee for three years, Town Treasurer, Road Commissioner, Tax Collector, Constable, two Directors Parsons Memorial Library for three years.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to elect a

Road Commissioner or Commissioners as per Section 20, Chapter 80 of the Revised Statutes of 1944, not exceeding three, and proceed to elect the same.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate the sum of $3,313.45 to cover expenditures and outstanding bills incurred by forest fire in October, 1947.

Article 6. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for purchase of Tank Truck for Alfred Fire Department.

Article 7. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for maintenance of Alfred Fire Department.

Article 8. To see what action the Town will take in regards to housing the trailer pumper now owned by the town, in Alfred Gore, under the jurisdiction of the Alfred Fire Department.

Article 9. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for a trailer type pumper like the one purchased by the Town during the fire; said pumper to be housed in Alfred Gore under the jurisdiction of the Alfred Fire Department.

Article 10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Hydrant Rental and Town water service as per contract with Alfred Water Company.

Article 11. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for care of Fountain and Park.

Article 12. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for discounts and abatements.

Article 13. To see whether or not the Town will vote to enter into a contract with Central Maine Power Company for a term of ten (10) years, whereby, in consideration of the furnishing of street lighting service to the Town during the term of said contract, all as more fully set forth in the contract, copy of which has been presented to this meeting, the Town will pay for such street lighting service in accordance with the Company's municipal street lighting rate — contract basis.

Article 14. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Street Lights.

Article 15. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for maintenance of Highways and Bridges.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise money by tax assessment and appropriate for Construction of State Aid Roads in addition to the amounts regularly raised for Ways, Highways and Bridges under the provisions of Section 25 and 29, Chapter 20, R. S. 1944 as amended.

Article 17. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for tarring the road from Route 111 to old Boston and Maine Depot.

Article 18. To see what sum of money, if any, the

Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Incidental Expenses.

Article 19. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Insurance on Town Property.

Article 20. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Maintenance of State Aid Highways.

Article 21. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Opening Roads in Winter.

Article 22. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Parsons Memorial Library.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate the necessary money for transportation of Alfred High School students to Sanford High School, if Alfred High School is closed at the end of the present school year.

Article 24. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate the necessary money, for transportation for the Alfred High School pupils to Sanford High School, if Alfred High School is closed at the end of the present school year.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to close Alfred High School at the end of the present school year.

Article 26. To see what sum of money, if any,

the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Repairs, Equipment, Insurance, and Improvements on school building.

Article 27. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Support of Elementary and Secondary Schools including salary and tuition.

Article 28. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for the services of a Public Health Nurse.

Article 29. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for the services of a Public Health Officer.

Article 30. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Relief for the Poor.

Article 31. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for War Veterans' Aid Account.

Article 32. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Cutting Bushes.

Article 33. To see whether or not the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 80, Section 95, of the Revised Statutes 1944.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote the sum of $50.00 to pay for writing up new valuation book.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to procure a temporary loan or loans in anticipation of taxes for the purpose of paying obligations of the Town, such loan or loans to be paid during the current year out of money raised during said current municipal year from taxes.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to pay the Collector of Taxes three-fourths of one per cent of the total collection of taxes.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to allow a 2% discount on all taxes paid within 30 days after commitment.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to charge interest on all taxes unpaid on September 1st until paid and to fix the amount.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell and dispose of property acquired by the Town by tax process and execute Quit-Claim Deeds in behalf of the Inhabitants of the Town of Alfred for such property.

Article 40. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 to add to the War Memorial Fund of Alfred.

Article 41. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum necessary to put two fire escapes on the Town Hall.

Article 42. To see what action the Town, as author-

ized by the Revised Statutes of Maine 1944, Chapter 80, Section 84, will take towards providing for a planning board, for the preparation by it of coordinated plans for the development of the Town and for their enforcement.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to secure connection of the water system of the Alfred Village School with the main of the Alfred Water Company through a pipe six inches in diameter or a pipe six inches in diameter and a reducer four inches in diameter at the main and to authorize said Selectmen to take such steps as may be necessary to make such connection.

Article 44. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session at the above named hall and place of meeting on Saturday, March 20, 1948, the day of said meeting, for the purpose of correcting the list of voters, from 9:00 o'clock A. M. until the polls are closed.

Polls will be open for voting at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon.

JOHN H. YUILL,
CARL F. CLARK,
Selectmen of Alfred.

DUDLEY T. FORREST,
Constable of the Town of Alfred.

Report of Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

For the Municipal Year Ending February 6, 1948

Appropriated to Defray Town Expenses, State and County Taxes, Etc.

Alfred Fire Department	$ 800.00
Alfred Water Co., hydrant rental	1,600.00
Care of Fountain and Park	50.00
Cutting Bushes	250.00
Discounts and Abatements	300.00
Electric Street Lights	600.00
Highways and Bridges	1,500.00
Incidentals	3,650.00
Insurance on town property (not including school)	600.00
Maintenance of State Aid Highways	968.70
Opening Roads in Winter	3,000.00
Parsons Memorial Library	350.00
Public Health Nurse	100.00
Public Health Officer	25.00
Repairs, Equipment and Insurance of Schools	1,000.00
Support of Schools	16,500.00
Nutter Road, resurfacing and tarring	500.00
Nutter Road, Note	600.00
War Memorial	2,000.00
Valuation Book, copying same	50.00
Fire Escapes for School	1,700.00

Re-tarring Brackett Hill, road from E. C. Ricker & Sons to Swett's Bridge, road from old Embroidery Mill to Sam Thyng's and from Percy Morrill's past Grange Hall, also from State Highway No. 202 to State Highway No. 111	500.00	
State Aid Construction No. 8	1,066.00	
State Aid Construction No. 3	533.00	
Gile Road No. 7	533.00	
Resurfacing and Tarring Franklin Grant Road	500.00	
Resurfacing and Tarring Depot Road	350.00	
Total Appropriation		$39,625.70
State Tax	$ 4,308.95	
County Tax	979.20	
Overlay	1,186.52	
Total to be Assessed		$46,100.37
Excise Tax for 1946	$ 676.04	
Polls for 1947	789.00	
Surplus in Treasury 1946	1,356.66	
		$ 2,816.70
To be Assessed by Property Tax		$43,283.67

VALUATION

Real Estate, Resident	$314,194.00
Real Estate, Non-Resident	71,571.00
Personal Estate	62,265.00
Personal Estate, Non-Resident	49,483.00
Total Valuation	$497,513.00

Tax Rate .087

PROPERTY EXEMPT FOR TAXATION, 1947

Owned by Veterans and Veterans' Widows	$ 7,120.00	
Exempt by Vote of Town:		
Alfred Water Co.	1,290.00	
Owned by Town of Alfred	760.00	
Owned by United States Foresty Service	18,862.00	
		$28,032.00

INCIDENTALS

Appropriated $3,650.00

Paid 1947:

Mar. 8	John Yates, Janitor	$	2.00
	Harry J. Kelley, Collector's fees		.90
	Kenneth Yates, labor at dump		3.00
	John A. Roberts, supplies for Town Hall		1.75
	Central Maine Power Co., hall lights		1.68
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co., hall phone		1.45
	Mrs. Ruby McLellan, typing report		8.80
Mar. 22	John Yates, Janitor		7.28
	David Knight, shoveling hydrants		4.00
	Lincoln Press, 400 Town Reports		216.00

	Lincoln Press, Ballots	17.50
	George H. Williams, Moderator	10.00
	Elizabeth Beals, Ballot Clerk	5.00
	Agnes Allen, Ballot Clerk	5.00
Apr. 5	Central M. P. Co., hall lights	2.66
	Frederick A. Hobbs, Deeds and Recording	36.75
	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies	20.45
	Leavitt Insurance Agency, Treasurer's Bond	10.00
	Leavitt Insurance Agency, Collector's Bond	10.00
Apr. 19	Clayton R. Morey, Switches and labor, Town Hall	2.37
	William M. Taylor, Swett's Bridge Road	50.00
May 3	New England Tel. & Tel. Co., hall phone	.45
	Seavey Hardware Co., lawn mower	14.70
	Central M. P. Co., Town Hall lights	1.50
	Maine Municipal Association, service charge	35.00
	John W. Yates, Janitor	3.30
May 17	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies	10.50
May 31	Marks Printing House, supplies	1.75
	Central M. P. Co., hall lights	1.50
	E. C. Ricker & Sons, gravel	49.50
June 28	John G. Smith, Recording Liens	8.50
Aug. 15	Central M. P. Co., hall lights	3.00
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	7.60

	Walter Davis, flags and placing same on graves	25.19
	Forrest Clark, labor hall and dump	2.50
	Lincoln Press, supplies for Collector	19.00
	W. W. Leighton, cleaning Town Square	7.00
	Kenneth Yates, labor town dump	45.00
	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies	7.90
	The Miro Flex Co., road signs	8.09
	Elizabeth Beals, copying books	50.00
Aug. 22	Dudley Forrest, Attendance Officer	2.00
	John H. Yuill, part salary	125.00
	Carl F. Clark, part salary	150.00
	Bureau of Health	3.50
Sep. 5	Central M. P. Co., hall lights	1.50
	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies	1.50
	Forrest Clark, repair Town Hall	9.50
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co., hall phone	3.35
Sep. 19	John W. Yates, sharpening lawn mower	1.50
	New England Metal Culvert, culvert Mt. Road	28.64
	Thomas Scott, payroll Mt. Road	59.00
Oct. 3	T. J. Scott, payroll Stone's Bridge	1,083.07
	Kenneth Yates, labor town	

	dump	61.00
	Central M. P. Co., hall lights	1.50
Oct. 17	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	4.05
	H. J. Sayward, salary	166.67
Oct. 31	John A. Roberts, supplies	10.06
	Central M. P. Co., hall lights	1.50
	John W. Yates, janitor	5.25
Nov. 14	John G. Smith, discharging liens	1.50
	Robert Hardy, labor Town Hall	125.00
	Robert Hardy, labor Witcher's Bridge	250.00
Nov. 28	New England Culvert	20.00
Dec. 11	State Treasurer, Town Audit	120.35
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co., hall phone	3.65
	John W. Yates, janitor	6.00
Dec. 26	State Treasurer, Doy License Deficiency	48.90
	Sanford Trust Co., check books	4.48
1948		
Jan. 9	Robert Hardy, wood town hall	7.00
	David Knight, shoveling hydrants	12.00
	Central M. P. Co., town hall	5.10
Jan. 23	Forrest Clark, town hall repairs, No. 25	3.00
	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies	4.58
	David W. Knight, shoveling hydrants	10.00
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co., hall phone	3.70
	Roscoe Butler, sealer of	

		weights and measures	5.00
Feb.	6	Frederick A. Hobbs, Esq., professional services	91.72
		New England Tel. & Tel. Co., hall phone	3.95
		Central M. P. Co., hall lights	3.08
		Town of Sanford, wood for town hall	16.00
		John Yates, Janitor	18.50
		David Knight, shoveling hydrants	4.00
		Conrad Roux, poultry claim	61.50
		Wilbur Roberts, sheep claim	10.00
		Dudley T. Forrest, salary Town Clerk	123.54
		Freeman P. Billings, salary Tax Collector	418.84
		Carl F. Clark, balance salary	125.00
		John H. Yuill, balance salary	175.00
		James Briggs, salary School Board	10.00
		Elizabeth Beals, salary School Board	10.00
		Willard Stone, salary School Board	10.00
		James W. Plummer, salary Treasurer	250.00
		James W. Plummer, postage signing liens and telephone	37.94
		J. W. Plummer, Clerk service for Selectmen	84.33
			$4,520.82

1947			
Nov. 18	Town of Sanford, one-half cost Stone's Bridge	$ 529.03	
	H. J. Sayward, lumber	12.50	
	Appropriated for copying valuation book	50.00	
June 2	Interest on Bond	6.25	
Aug. 2	Bank Stock	34.80	
Oct. 10	Hall Rent	5.00	
Oct. 31	Hall Rent	10.00	
Dec. 2	Interest on Bond	6.25	
Dec. 20	Railroad and Telegraph Tax	49.10	
1948			
Jan. 26	Bureau of Accounts	14.92	
Feb. 4	Hall Rent	5.00	
	Overlay	147.97	
			$4,520.82

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

1947			
Mar. 15	Appropriated		$1,500.00
May 3	Thomas Scott, Payroll No. 6	$ 278.76	
	Thomas Scott, Payroll No. 6	157.13	
Sep. 19	Thomas Scott, Payroll No. 16	147.50	
Nov. 28	Thomas Scott, Payroll No. 21	110.00	
		$ 693.39	
Arp. 5	Harold Hall, Payroll No. 4	$ 25.00	
May 3	Harold Hall, Payroll No. 6	77.70	
May 17	Harold Hall, Payroll No. 7	8.85	
	Harold Hall, Payroll No. 7	303.15	

Aug. 15	Harold Hall, Payroll No. 13		288.85
Dec. 26	Harold Hall, Payroll No. 23		45.16
			$ 748.71
Sep. 5	State Highway Commission, cold patch No. 15	$	4.50
	Unexpended Balance		53.40
		$1,500.00	$1,500.00

OPENING ROADS IN WINTER

Thomas Scott

Appropriated			$3,000.00
1947			
Mar. 22	Payroll	$ 38.85	
	Payroll	157.50	
	Payroll	240.00	
	Payroll	131.50	
Sep. 28	Payroll	108.66	
Nov. 28	Payroll	156.00	
Dec. 26	Payroll	149.75	
1948			
Jan. 9	Payroll	121.30	
	Payroll	151.10	
Jan. 23	Payroll	187.65	
Feb. 6	Payroll	189.85	
	Tractor Account	159.04	
	Total	$1,791.20	

Harold Hall

1947			
Mar. 8	Payroll	$	90.00
	Payroll		237.45
	Payroll		60.79
	Payroll		191.19
May 3	Payroll		40.00
Nov. 28	Payroll		245.95
Dec. 11	Payroll		27.90
Dec. 26	Payroll		28.20
	Payroll		7.70
	Payroll		159.30
1948			
Jan. 9	Payroll		304.67
	Payroll		184.28
Jan. 23	Payroll		47.55
	Payroll		147.90
Feb. 6	Payroll		307.07
	Payroll		107.85
	Tractor Account		159.04
	Total		$2,346.84
1947			
Mar. 8	W. H. Shurtleff Co., road salt	$	87.00
Aug. 15	M. R. Wilson, road salt		40.30
			$4,265.34
July 15	State Treasurer, refund		$ 773.00
	Overlay		492.34
			$4,265.34

REPAIRS ON TRACTOR CHARGE TO SNOW ACCOUNT

1947		
Mar. 22	Thomas Scott, No. 3	$ 13.52
	Bracy's Garage, No. 3	3.40
1948		
Jan. 9	Thomas Scott, storage Tractor No. 24-A	120.00
Jan. 23	Thomas Scott, No. 25	123.44
Feb. 6	Billing's Garage, No. 26	8.22
	Thomas Scott, No. 26	45.50
	Carl F. Clark, No. 26	4.00
		$ 318.08

Note: This account takes in repairs, gas, oil and storage charged to Snow Account.

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION NO. 8

Appropriated		$1,066.00
Unexpended	$1,066.00	
	$1,066.00	$1,066.00

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION NO. 3

Appropriated		$ 533.00
Unexpended	$ 533.00	
	$ 533.00	$ 533.00

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION NO. 7

Appropriated		$ 533.00
Unexpended	$ 533.00	
	$ 533.00	$ 533.00

MAINTENANCE OF STATE AID HIGHWAY

Appropriated		$ 968.70
Overlay		18.40
State Highway Commission	$ 987.10	
	$ 987.10	$ 987.10

CUTTING BUSHES

Appropriated		$ 250.00
Voted to carry over from last year		154.48
Paid to John W. Yates	$ 5.20	
Unexpended Balance	399.28	
	$ 404.48	$ 404.48

SUPPORT OF POOR

1947			
Mar. 15	Voted to carry over from last year		$ 100.00
	Unexpended	$ 100.00	
	Unexpended		$ 100.00

VETERANS' AID

1947			
Mar. 15	Voted to carry over from last year		$ 50.00
	Unexpended	$ 50.00	
		$ 50.00	$ 50.00

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Appropriated		$ 350.00
Paid Parsons Memorial Library	$ 350.00	
	$ 350.00	$ 350.00

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

1947			
Mar. 15	Appropriated		$ 100.00
Feb. 6	Public Health Nurse, No. 26	$ 100.00	

PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICER

Appropriated			$ 25.00
1948			
Feb. 6	Public Health Officer	$ 25.00	
		$ 25.00	$ 25.00

ALFRED WATER COMPANY

Appropriated			$1,600.00
1947			
Nov. 14	Alfred Water Company	$1,600.00	
		$1,600.00	$1,600.00

ALFRED FIRE DEPARTMENT

1947			
Mar. 15	Appropriated		$ 800.00
	Voted to carry over from last year		366.77
Mar. 8	G. C. Downs	3.20	
	Ralph Littlefield	20.71	
	John Gerry	16.00	
	Lincoln Press	9.25	
	Central Maine Power Co.	3.50	
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	2.20	
Apr. 5	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	2.20	
	Central Maine Power Co.	3.50	
	Marshall's Garage	1.15	
	Ralph Littlefield	17.54	
	John Gerry	16.00	
	Chick Construction Co.	16.00	
	Billing's Garage	1.98	
May 17	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	2.55	
	John Gerry	16.00	
	Central Maine Power Co	3.50	
	Ralph Littlefield	13.46	
Aug. 15	Central Maine Power Co.	10.50	
	New England Tel. & Tel.		

	Co.	9.45
	Billing's Garage	4.81
	Quaker Rubber Co.	239.00
Sep. 19	Bracy's Garage	1.60
	Harold R. Hall	1.05
	Marshall's Garage	3.78
	Eastern Fire Equip. Inc.	56.75
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	3.55
	Central Maine Power Co.	3.50
Oct. 17	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	3.55
	Central Maine Power Co.	3.50
Nov. 14	Ralph Littlefield	6.71
	Central Maine Power Co.	3.50
Dec. 11	Central Maine Power Co.	7.40
	Billing's Garage	6.22
	Ralph Littlefield	20.80
	John Gerry	16.00
	Marshall's Garage	16.32
	John A. Roberts	13.60

1948

Jan. 9	Billing's Garage	3.11
	John Gerry	16.00
	Forrest Clark	1.75
	Ralph Littlefield	25.87
	Central Maine Power Co.	5.58
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	4.15
Feb. 6	R. W. Littlefield	27.13
	Central Maine Power Co.	6.00
	Billing's Garage	4.00
	Sayward Flower Co.	8.00
	John Gerry	16.00
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	3.85

	Forrest Clark	10.76	
	Total	$ 712.53	
	Unexpended Balance	454.24	
		$1,166.77	$1,166.77

FIRE ACCOUNT

(No Appropriation)

1947		
Nov. 14	New England Tel. & Tel. Co., No. 20	$ 12.15
	Billing's Garage, gas	78.64
	Bracy's Garage, gas	71.50
	E. C. Ricker & Sons, gas	26.74
	Walter Reeks, Diesel oil	10.50
	Marshall's Garage, gas	25.00
	Kenneth Yates, gas	14.55
	Raymond Lavine, gas	11.21
	Richard Lovely, gas	13.49
	Forrest Clark, gas	7.59
	W. W. Leighton, gas	31.68
	Carroll Beals, gas	8.75
	James Briggs, gas	8.34
	State Treasurer, 24 Indian guns	324.00
	John W. Yates, labor	9.25
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	4.10
Nov. 20	Ralph W. Smith, supplies, No. 21	4.86
	S. J. Nowell, supplies	23.25
	E. C. Ricker & Sons, gas	1.18
	Andrew Vachon, gas	2.98

	Central Maine Power Co., hall lights	4.60	
	Raymond Lavigne, labor	9.00	
Dec. 11	Myrals, Inc., supplies, No. 22	14.39	
	Stanley & Cadigan Co., hose	55.50	
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	10.80	
1948			
Jan. 9	G. C. Downs, supplies, No. 24-A	5.40	
Jan. 23	State Treasurer, fire pump, No. 25	500.00	
Feb. 6	Veg-Acre Farms, fire pump, No. 26	490.00	
1948			
Jan. 30	James Briggs, refund		8.34
Feb. 9	Forrest Clark, refund		7.59
	Paid from Treasury		1,763.52
		$1,779.45	$1,779.45

INSURANCE TOWN PROPERTY

1947			
Mar. 15	Appropriated		$ 600.00
Mar. 22	Homer E. Crooker Agency, No. 3	$ 323.45	
May 17	James W. Plummer Agency, No. 7	435.15	
May 31	James W. Plummer, Agency, No. 8	6.00	
Aug. 15	Homer E. Crooker Agency, No. 13	49.08	

Dec. 25	James W. Plummer Agency, No. 23	55.75	
1948			
Jan. 23	Transferred from School Department		209.35
	Overlay		60.08
		$ 869.43	$ 869.43

STREET LIGHTS

1947			
Mar. 15	Appropriated		$ 600.00
Mar. 8	Central Maine Power Co., No. 2	$ 35.00	
Apr. 5	Central Maine Power Co., No. 4	35.00	
May 3	Central Maine Power Co., No. 6	35.00	
Aug. 15	Central Maine Power Co., No. 13	105.00	
Sep. 5	Central Maine Power Co., No. 15	35.00	
Oct. 3	Central Maine Power Co., No. 17	35.00	
Oct. 31	Central Maine Power Co., No. 19	35.00	
Dec. 11	Central Maine Power Co., No. 22	35.00	
1948			
Jan. 23	Central Maine Power Co.,		

	No. 25	35.00	
Feb. 6	Central Maine Power Co., No. 26	35.00	
		$ 420.00	
	Unexpended Balance	180.00	
		$ 600.00	$ 600.00

CARE OF PARK

1947

Mar. 15	Appropriated		$ 50.00
Oct. 31	John W. Yates, No. 19	$ 50.00	

WAR MEMORIAL

1947

Mar. 15	Appropriated		$2,000.00
Oct. 17	Carl E. Richards, Chairman	$2,000.00	
		$2,000.00	$2,000.00

SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS

1947		
Mar. 15	Appropriated for Schools	$16,500.00
	Appropriated for Repairs and Equipment	1,000.00
	Balance from last years	1,062.07
	Appropriated for Fire escapes	1,700.00
Apr. 29	Received from State Treasurer, education refund	5.31
July 16	Received from Ralph Littlefield, tuition	21.00
July 17	Received from Henry W. Brock, tuition	21.00
July 22	Received from Marjorie Littlefield, tuition	21.00
July 29	Received from C. Allen Bickford, tuition	21.00
Oct. 30	Received from Ralph Littlefield, tuition	36.00
Dec. 20	Received from State School Fund	5,012.72
1948		
Feb. 5	Received from Maynard E. Wright, toll calls (school)	1.44
Feb. 13	Received from Henry W. Brock	7.00
	Paid out for School Payrolls No. 1 to 26 inclusive	22,778.15

Note: For information see the Superintendent of Schools Account.

BANK LOANS

(By Vote of Town)

1947			
Mar. 24	Sanford Institution for Savings		$5,000.00
May 14	Sanford Institution for Savings		3,500.00
1948			
Feb. 16	Sanford Institution for Savings	$8,500.00	
		$8,500.00	$8,500.00

INTEREST ON LOANS

1947			
Apr. 5	Sanford Institution for Savings	$ 4.50	
July 25	Sanford Institution for Savings	62.25	
Oct. 3	Sanford Institution for Savings	68.25	
Dec. 26	Sanford Institution for Savings	63.75	
1948			
Feb. 6	Sanford Institution for Savings	39.28	
		$ 238.03	
	Overlay		$ 238.03

DISCOUNTS AND ABATEMENTS

1947			
Mar. 15	Appropriated		$ 300.00
Aug. 15	G. B. Chadbourne	$ 4.44	
Aug. 22	Leon Hersom	358.88	
Aug. 27	Frances Emerson	4.43	
	Mabel Bracy	4.43	
	Grover C. Downs	69.60	
1948			
Jan. 2	Grace L. Akers, Uncollected Personal Taxes, 1939	97.92	
	H. J. Kelley, Uncollected Personal Taxes, 1938, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943	154.17	
Feb. 4	Lester P. Barbour	32.63	
	Donet and Dorille Richie	17.40	
	Christina Willey	7.83	
	Oscar Carpenter	3.00	
	Harold Crawford	3.00	
	Lewis Gordon, Jr.	3.00	
	Raymond Harmon	3.00	
	George F. Hobbs	3.00	
	Wayne Hussey	3.00	
	Raymond Martell	3.00	
	Ralph Nichols	3.00	
	Frederick Paltsits	3.00	
	William E. Parsons	3.00	
	Frank Ridley	3.00	
	Lester D. Roberts	3.00	
	George Tibbetts	3.00	
	Joseph Seymour	3.00	
	Mrs. Ertie Roberts	2.18	
	Overlay		184.40
	Overdraft		311.51
		$ 795.91	$ 795.91

STATE TAX

1947			
	By Assessment		$4,308.95
Oct. 6	State Treasurer, No. 17	$4,308.95	

COUNTY TAX

1947			
	By Assessment		$ 979.20
Oct. 19	County Treasurer, No. 18	$ 979.20	

RETARRING BRACKETT'S HILL ROAD

from E. C. Ricker & Sons to Swett's Bridge, Embroidery Mill to Sam Thyng's, from Percy Morrill's past Grange Hall, from State Highway 202 to State Highway No. 111

1947			
Mar. 15	Appropriated		$ 500.00
Oct. 31	Thomas Scott, No. 19	$ 301.40	
Nov. 28	Thomas Scott, No. 21	197.40	
	Unexpended Balance	1.20	
		$ 500.00	$ 500.00

NUTTER ROAD RESURFACING AND TARRING

1947			
Mar. 15	Appropriated		$ 500.00
Nov. 28	Thomas Scott, No. 21	$ 545.30	
	Overlay		45.30
		$ 545.30	$ 545.30

NUTTER ROAD (NOTE)

1947			
Mar. 15	Appropriated		$ 600.00
Oct. 3	Sanford Institution for Savings, No. 17	$ 600.00	
		$ 600.00	$ 600.00

DEPOT ROAD

Appropriated			$ 350.00
1947			
Sep. 19	Thomas Scott, Payroll	$ 326.21	
		$ 326.21	$ 23.79

JOHN HALL ROAD FROM HIGHWAY NO. 8 TO FRANKLIN GRANT'S

1947			
Jan. 9	H. J. Sayward, Payroll No. 24-A	$ 416.93	
1948			
Feb. 18	Received from State		$ 416.93

RESURFACING AND TARRING ROAD FROM HIGHWAY NO. 8 TO FRANKLIN'S GRANT'S

1947			
Aug. 15	Harold Hall, Payroll No. 13	$ 109.80	
Mar. 15	Appropriated		$ 500.00
			$ 390.20

STONE'S BRIDGE—ONE-HALF TO BE PAID BY THE TOWN OF SANFORD

1947			
Oct. 3	T. J. Scott, Payroll No. 17	$1,083.07	
Oct. 17	H. J. Sayward, lumber		$ 12.50
Nov. 18	Town of Sanford		529.03

See Incidental Account.

RURAL ROAD (SPECIAL STATE FUND) MUD MONEY

1947			
Oct. 31	T. J. Scott, Payroll No. 19	$ 392.40	
	T. J. Scott, Payroll	371.70	
	T. J. Scott, Payroll	186.80	
	T. J. Scott, Payroll	427.44	
1948			
Jan. 9	H. J. Sayward, No. 24-A	12.50	
	T. J. Scott	62.50	
	Joseph Seymour	3.38	
	Paid from Treasury	$1,456.72	$1,456.72

Note: The above amount is due from the State.

OVERLAY

Assessed According to Law		$1,186.52
Insurance Town Property	$ 60.08	
Nutter Road	45.30	
Maintenance State Aid Highway	18.40	
Incidental Account	147.97	
Snow Account	492.34	

Interest on Loans	238.03	
Discounts and Abatements	184.40	
	$1,186.52	$1,186.52

PROPERTY OWNED BY TOWN OF ALFRED

	No. of Acres	
Athletic Field	9	$ 270.00
Town Dump	1	50.00
Daniel Shackley Meadow	2	10.00
Half of Jewett Mill Privilege	¼	10.00
Noah Robinson Meadow	2	20.00
Ralph Nowell		37.40
Wilfred Allaire		13.31
Esther D. Paul	7	9.07
Ed. I. Littlefield Estate	24	42.21

WITHHOLDING TAX, 1947

1947		
Apr. 19	Collector of Internal Revenue, No. 5	$ 387.54
July 25	Collector of Internal Revenue, No. 12	383.33
Oct. 31	Collector of Internal Revenue, No. 19	93.19
1948		
Jan. 9	Collector of Internal Revenue, No. 24-A	527.79
		$1,391.85

TEACHERS' PENSION

1947			
July 25	State Treasurer, No. 12	$ 180.00	
	Helen Dolley, refund	.90	
	Alice Morey, refund	7.97	
			$ 188.87

TEACHERS' RETIREMENT FUND

1947			
July 25	State Treasurer, No. 12	$ 227.62	
1948			
Jan. 9	State Treasurer, No. 24-A	251.95	
			$ 479.57

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1945

Held by Town

Brown, Angelina	$ 35.11	
Demille, William	31.66	
Littlefield, Ethel	47.13	
Makin, J. H., Estate of	12.06	
Nowell, Ralph	7.04	
		$ 133.03

No interest included after June 1946.

These tax liens are resources held by the Town and not shown in the Treasurer's Report.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. YUILL,

CARL F. CLARK,

Selectmen.

COLLECTOR'S FINAL REPORT FOR 1946 TAXES

As of February 10, 1947, there were outstanding:

Uncollected Resident Real and Personal Taxes	$ 793.71	
Uncollected Non-Resident Real and Personal Taxes	271.46	
		$1,065.17
Plus Interest Collected 2/10/47 to 6/1/47		23.41
		$1,088.58

UNCOLLECTED RESIDENT REAL AND PERSONAL TAXES

Paul Garvin	$ * 1.52	
Staples and Anspough	30.50	
Liens filed with Registrar of Probate	493.83	
Treasurer's Receipts since 2/10/47	562.73	
		$1,088.58

The face value of liens for 1946 handed to Town Treasurer amounted to $516.71, as follows:

Taxes covered 1946 as committed	$ 493.83	
Interest on liens, September 1, 1946 to June 1, 1947	22.88	
		$ 516.71

*Paid after closing books.

Respectfully submitted,
F. P. BILLINGS,
Collector for 1946.

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES

James Bryer	$	3.00
Charles Burns		3.00
Herbert Chadbourne		3.00
Gordon Turner		3.00
	$	12.00

UNCOLLECTED RESIDENT TAXES REAL AND PERSONAL

Alfred Bernier	$	57.42
Chesley B. Bracy		6.53
Charles H. Burns		36.10
Charles E. and Phyllis M. Butler		130.50
Herbert Chadbourne		91.44
Frank Clark		3.26
Edward P. Cook		233.25
William DeMille		39.15
John B. Donovan		197.93
Clarence Hartford		2.18
Harold Hall		102.31
Raymond Harmon		2.18
Clarence and Harriet Henderson		19.58
Christopher Hussey, 2nd		13.05
Harvey Hussey		205.76
Harold Leach		33.95
Bernard Ridlon		10.88
Conrad Roux		432.92
Joseph Seymore		6.53
Georgia Stearns		422.99
		$2,047.91

UNCOLLECTED NON-RESIDENT TAXES REAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Angelina M. Brown	$	78.30
John Bshara		40.02
Orrin Garland		6.53
Mrs. Ethel and Nancy Littlefield		58.29
Orville Morrill		36.54
Jennie Picken		8.26
Armand Morin		31.76
Mrs. Florence Prescott		43.50
Noel Simpson		32.97
Alphonse Tanguay		16.52
William M. Taylor		10.88
Leo, Philip and Zoel Therrien		6.53
Arthur Williams		17.40
		$ 387.50

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT, 1947

Commitment Property Tax	$43,284.77	
Commitment Poll Tax	789.00	
		$44,073.77
Supplemental Property Tax	$ 104.40	
Supplemental Poll Tax	54.00	
		$ 158.40
Interest Collected 9/1/47 to 2/7/48		207.67
		$44,439.84

Paid Treasurer	$40,909.41	
Discounts allowed according to vote	539.21	
Abatements allowed by Assessors	543.81	
		$41,992.43
Uncollected Resident Taxes	$ 2,047.91	
Uncollected Non-Resident Taxes	387.50	
Uncollected Poll Taxes	12.00	
		$ 2,447.41
		$44,439.84

TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

Balance	$ 3,084.98	
Freeman P. Billings, 1947 Real Estate, Personal and Polls	40,909.41	
Freeman P. Billings, 1946 Taxes	562.73	
Freeman P. Billings, Excise Tax	1,477.80	
		$46,034.92
Frederick A. Hobbs, Liens	$ 484.55	
Liens	232.34	
Sanford Institution for Savings	8,500.00	
Interest on Bond	12.50	
School Department, Insurance	209.35	
Henry Brock, Tuition	28.00	
Ralph Littlefield, Tuition	57.00	
Marjory Littlefield, Tuition	21.00	
C. Allen Bickford, Tuition	21.00	
Jack Yates, hall rent	5.00	
John H. Yuill, hall rent	15.00	
H. J. Sayward, lumber	25.00	
Town of Sanford, one-half cost of Stone's bridge	529.03	
James E. Briggs, refund	8.34	
Maynard E. Wright, refund	1.44	
Forrest Clark, refund	7.59	
		$10,157.14

State Treasurer

Education Refund	$ 5.31
Snow Account	773.00
Bank Stock Tax	34.80
State School Fund	5,012.72
Railroad and Telegraph Tax	49.10
Bureau of Accounts	14.92

Special Resolve	416.93	
		$ 6,306.78
Withholding Tax	$1,433.06	
Teachers' Pension	66.96	
Teachers' Retirement	451.91	
		$ 1,951.93
		$64,450.77

EXPENDITURES

By Warrant	$61,949.85	
Cash to Balance	2,500.92	
		$64,450.77

RESOURCES

1946 Liens

Georgie Stearns	$ 309.90	
Orrin Garland	4.78	
William DeMille	28.68	
Ethel and Nancy Littlefield	42.71	
		$ 384.07

Interest and costs not included in the above liens.

One U. S. Government Bond	$ 500.00
	$ 884.07

Tax Deed

Alfred Junkins, dated February 2, 1929	$ 19.26

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,

Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 18, 1948

ANNUAL REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICER

February 24, 1947

To the Selectmen, Town of Alfred, Maine:

Communicable diseases have been practically missing from Alfred during the past year.

Robert T. Hardy has been reappointed Plumbing Inspector for 1948.

Respectfully submitted,
CARL E. RICHARDS, M. D.,
Local Health Officer.

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

I herein submit a brief report of service rendered the Town of Alfred by the York County Tuberculosis and Health Association for the period beginning January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947.

This year we cooperated with the State Bureau of Health in conducting a County Tuberculosis survey. One hundred thirty pupils were given the Tuberculin Patch test, 20 gave positive reactions. The reactors, some of the parents, and all school personnel, including the Superintendent of Schools had chest X-rays at the State Diagnostic Clinics held in Sanford and Biddeford, a total of 40 people were X-rayed.

The prevention and control of Tuberculosis has three major objectives: Isolation of Active Cases, Finding Early Infection, and Rehabilitation of Arrested

Cases. Movie films on tuberculosis, "This is TB" and "They Do Come Back" were shown to teachers and students.

The School Health Program has been carried on throughout the year. The annual weighing and measuring of all pupils, the Snellen test for vision, for hearing—the Whisper method used for J. P. and first four grades and Audiometer tests for upper grades and high school students. General inspection includes careful examination of teeth, throat, skin, hair, posture and special attention to those who are underweight or overweight. Several special inspections including all grades and high school students, because of skin troubles. Posters and pamphlets on Health Education were distributed to the school.

Annual health inspections completed:

Number of pupils inspected	145
Number with no dental defects	66
Number given Audiometer tests	78
Number with defective teeth (deciduous)	43
Number with defective teeth (permanent)	32
Number with defective throat	16
Number with defective vision	6
Number infected with scabies	7
Number infected with impetigo	4
Evidence of pediculi	5

Number with defective hearing:

75% loss of hearing	1
27% loss of hearing	1
18% loss of hearing	2
15% loss of hearing	2
12% loss of hearing	1
9% loss of hearing	4
6% loss loss of hearing	24

Many of the older people still remember the days when devasting epidemics of smallpox, diphtheria and whooping cough caused the schools to be closed and inspired terror in their communities. Now the control of these diseases has been achieved by annual immunizations offered by the town. This year the following immunizations were given by Dr. Richards at three school clinics:

Smallpox	63
Diphtheria	19
Whooping cough	3
Whooping cough, diphtheria and tetanus	2

A fourth clinic was held for Schick tests. There were nine positive reactors, who were later given diphtheria toxoid.

Fifty home visits were made during the year, regarding tuberculosis work and health and welfare of the school children.

We wish to thank Mr. Wright, A. A. M. Club, Red Cross, American Legion Auxiliary, parents and teachers for their kind assistance this year.

Respectfully submitted,

York County Tuberculosis and
Health Association

By: NELLIE P. SAWYER, R. N.

Public Health Nurse.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Record of Deaths Commencing February 26, 1947

1947		Years	Months	Days
Feb. 26	Eugene Drown at Sanford	63	3	13
Feb. 27	Elwin R. Trafton at Cobleskill, New York	25	5	11
June 2	Bror Bendroth at Sanford	76	5	29
June 8	Mary Charlotte Emerson at Alfred	80	4	26
July 10	George Tebbetts at Alferd	68	9	13
Aug. 2	Mabel Louise Hill at Sanford	65	7	16
Aug. 19	Mary Elizabeth Akers at Alfred	98	0	19
Sep. 2	George E. Moulton at Lyman	74	11	30
Sep. 21	Anne Moore Fay at Alfred	78	5	23
Oct. 23	Gertrude Frances Morrill at Sanford	50	1	14
Oct. 24	Edwin Farow Moyes at Lyman	87	2	28
Nov. 18	Lester Daniel Roberts at Sanford	70	0	16
Nov. 22	John Perley Brock at Sanford	89	10	7
Dec. 6	William E. Leighton at Portland	Stillborn		
Dec. 9	Dora Belle Fairfield at Biddeford	50	4	20
1948				
Jan. 19	Sewell Brown Sawyer at Sanford	70	8	16
Jan. 31	Margaret Electa Cluff of Waterboro	69	11	24
Feb. 17	Annie Frances Brackett at Alfred	83	3	20

Nov. 26, 1946 Auguste Jalbert at Alfred	56	5	17
Jan. 13, 1947 Kate Estelle Sayward at Portsmouth, N. H.	88	7	26
(The above notices were received too late to be included in previous Town Report)			
July 26, 1899 John W. Raymond	50	0	0
Mar. 5, 1909 Marcilla F. (Lowe) Raymond	57	0	0
(Removed from family burying ground in Lyman, Maine)			

Respectfully submitted,

DUDLEY T. FORREST,

Clerk.

DOG LICENSES

Number of Dogs	91	
Males	58	
Females	4	
Spayed Females	29	
Amount Collected		$ 97.90
Paid Secretary of Agriculture		$ 97.90

Respectfully submitted,

DUDLEY T. FORREST,

Clerk.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL

To the Superintendent of Schools, School Committee, Selectmen and Citizens of the Town of Alfred I respectfully submit the following report:

School opened on September 8, 1947 with an enrollment of 26 students. These divided by classes are: Freshmen 8, Sophomores 9, Juniors 9, and Seniors 1. One student left during the year and one student enrolled to maintain the number.

The College Course and General Course were offered. Approximately one-third of the students are taking the College course. The remaining two-thirds are taking the General Course.

There has been no music supervision for the past year. Lack of music has been a great loss to all grades in the school.

There is need for a new motion picture in the school. A visual education program would be a great asset to the entire school.

The high school has added a few new books to its library but due to the fact that the Encyclopedia Americana was added last year it has been impossible to add the desired number of books.

Laboratory equipment has been increased and more equipment will be added before the year is over.

The high school students have participated in the following Central York County League events: Baseball, Basketball, Horseshoes, Prize Speaking and Spelling. There was a decided improvement in all events over previous years.

On February 20th the entire student body was taken on an educational trip to Boston. This trip was made possible by the generous support of the townspeople. Places of historical interest visited were: Harvard Museums, North Church, Radcliffe College, and the U. S. S. Constitution.

In closing I wish to thank the Superintendent of Schools, the School Board, Selectmen, Teachers and Townspeople for their cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
MALCOLM W. ROBERTS,
Principal.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Superintending School Committee and the Citizens of Alfred:

I submit for your consideration the annual report of schools. Elementary registration is 151 classified as follows: Sub-primary, 23; grade one, 22; grade two, 14; grade three, 19; grade four, 14; grade five, 14; grade six, 23; grave seven, 14; grade eight, 8. One elementary pupil attends school in Sanford. Sixteen secondary pupils are attending Sanford High School. Of this number eleven are taking occupational courses and have their tuition paid by the Town of Alfred.

There has been one change in teaching personnel this year. Mrs. Dorothy W. DeBertram resigned her

position in the sub-primary grade and the vacancy thus caused was filled by the election of Miss Helen L. MacDonald of Vanceboro, a graduate of Gorham State Teachers' College. We regret that thus far we have not been able to secure a supervisor of music, a position last held by Mrs. Helen M. Dolley.

Some of the repairs and improvements which were undertaken last year and postponed because of a lack of materials have been made this year. Sanitary conditions in the boys' basement have been definitely improved. A door was installed at the back of the building near the sub-primary room with cement steps leading from it. This provides another exit for the small children; cuts down congestion in the corridors; and makes for greater safety in case of fire.

We have been unable thus far to make changes in the lighting system although a new electrical entrance has been installed anticipating such change and to take care of the hot water boiler in the kitchen.

The connection of the water system with the water main through a six inch pipe has not yet been accomplished. This accounts, in large measure, for the substantial balance in the Repairs Account.

The two fire escapes authorized by vote of the town last spring have been installed.

The last legislature passed a minimum salary law for teachers. This provides that all teachers holding certificates, providing they have not more than two years training beyond high school, must receive not less than $1,500.00; teachers with three years post-high school training must receive a minimum of $1,600.00; those with four years, $1,700.00; five years, $1,800.00. Failure on the part of the town to meet these requirements means a considerable cut in the amount of stipend received from the State.

There has been very little interruption as a result of storms or epidemics and aside from the time lost during the October fires the school program has continued successfully and profitably.

I wish to extend my sincere appreciation to the school board, the teachers, and all citizens who have helped in any way during the year just passed.

Respectfully submitted,

MAYNARD E. WRIGHT,

Superintendent of Schools.

ALFRED SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Resources

Balance, February, 1947	$ 1,038.23
Appropriated March, 1947	16,500.00

State School Fund
Bases of:

High School Tuition	$ 500.00	
Teaching Positions	3,780.00	
School Enrollment	532.72	
Closed Schools	200.00	
		5,012.72

Elementary Tuition

Ralph W. Littlefield	$ 57.00
Henry W. Brock	28.00

Marjorie Littlefield	21.00		
C. Allen Bickford	21.00		
		127.00	

Refunds

Education, State Treasurer	$ 5.31		
Telephone, High School	1.44		
		6.75	
Total Resources			$22,684.70

Expenditures

	Elementary	Secondary	
Instruction	$7,852.71	$ 4,279.25	
Fuel	470.00	427.52	
Janitor Service	1,021.00	862.00	
Conveyance	2,730.31		
Tuition	27.00	1,062.50	
Text Books	337.99	258.25	
Supplies, Power, Lights	426.81	398.27	
	$12,865.82	$ 7,287.79	
Total Expenditures			$20,153.61
Balance, February, 1948			2,531.09
			$22,684.70

ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES

Instruction

Josephine D. Gould	$1,536.25		
Dorothy W. DeBertram	645.25		
Helen L. MacDonald	880.00		
Celia M. Day	1,561.54		
Beatrice L. Clark	1,535.25		
Hattie E. Clark	1,560.00		
Mary Steele	134.42		
Malcolm W. Roberts		$2,310.00	
Miriam B. Moody		1,950.75	
Marcia W. Shaw		18.50	
	$7,852.71	$4,279.25	
Total			$12,131.96

Fuel

H. Alberta Roberts	$ 470.00	$ 427.52	
Total			$ 897.52

Janitor Service

Everett Kimball	$1,010.00	$ 855.00	
Kenneth Yates	8.00	7.00	
Freeman Billings	3.00		
	$1,021.00	$ 862.00	
Total			$1,883.00

Conveyance

Roscoe Hussey	$1,193.50
Harold Hall	1,080.00
Everett Kimball	360.00

Leavitt Ins. Agency	93.74		
Homer E. Crooker Agency	3.07		
Total			$2,730.31

Tuition

Town of Sanford	$ 27.00	$1,062.50	
Total			$1,089.50

Text Books

Scott, Foresman & Co.	$ 42.36		
F. A. Owen Pub. Co.	15.00		
Rand McNally Co.	9.48		
American Ed. Press, Inc.	15.60		
The L. W. Singer Co.	16.95		
E. M. Hale & Co.	23.01		
Houghton Mifflin Co.	7.94		
The John C. Winston Co.	38.97		
Ginn & Co.	40.00	61.21	
World Book Co.	25.84	1.48	
American Book Co.	65.18	15.47	
The Macmillan Co.	6.22	10.05	
Silver Burdett Co.	31.44	1.41	
Chas. E. Merrill Co.		5.71	
The National Geog. Soc.		4.25	
Americana Corp.		69.75	
Edna Means Dramatic Service		.53	
Loring, Short & Harmon		3.75	
Allyn & Bacon		6.18	
Encyclopedia Britannica		9.31	
Cressey & Allen		6.85	
Fred L. Downs Companies		10.00	
Funk & Wagnalls Co.		41.20	

Boston Herald-Trav. Corp.		8.50	
Iroquois Pub. Co.		2.60	
	$ 337.99	$ 258.25	
Total			$ 596.24

Supplies

Maine Pub. Health Assn.	$.50		
Treasurer State of Maine	4.00		
The Cascade Paper Co.	3.16		
F. G. Congdon	1.85		
Sanford Pharmacy	33.39		
The Macmillan Co.	9.22		
Visual School Report Co.	6.80		
Ralph W. Smith	.85		
The Lincoln Press	17.50	$ 16.00	
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	34.08	11.10	
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.	36.10	53.60	
Whitcomb Supply Co.	11.30	8.00	
J. L. Hammett Co.	17.12	16.69	
Floor-Shine Wax Co.	13.26	10.00	
Loring, Short & Harmon	86.32	36.36	
Central Maine Power Co.	79.24	73.84	
Maynard E. Wright	6.35	5.00	
Gledhill Bros., Inc.	17.49	10.00	
Berry Paper Co.	34.38	13.00	
Boston Janitors' Supply Co.	13.90	9.24	
Averill Press		9.25	
Central Scientific Co.		34.25	
Roberts Office Supply Co.		40.80	
Cambosco Scientific Co.		37.72	
Porteous, Mitchell & Braun		2.75	
Society of Visual Ed., Inc.		10.67	
	$ 426.81	$ 398.27	

REPAIRS ACCOUNT

Balance, 1947			$1,062.07
Appropriation, March, 1947			1,000.00
Total Resources			$2,062.07

Expenditures

N. J. Gendron Lumber Co.	$ 46.01		
Kenneth Yates	12.00		
Harold A. Deshon	134.20		
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	95.90		
Warren & Son	25.00		
Twomey Electric	159.70		
Carl Hanson	9.00		
Forrest Clark	201.03	99.95	
Ralph W. Smith	33.65	23.50	
M. F. Bragdon Paint Co.	43.43	20.00	
John A. Roberts	38.63	22.29	
Incidental Account, Insurance	109.35	100.00	
	$ 907.90	$ 265.74	
Total Expenditures			$1,173.64
Balance, February, 1948			888.43
			$2,062.07

FIRE ESCAPE ACCOUNT

Appropriation, March, 1947		$1,700.00
Expenditures		
The Hussey Manufacturing Co.	$ 881.00	
Carl Hanson	40.00	
N. J. Gendron Lumber Co.	60.34	
J. G. Deering & Sons	20.70	
Total Expenditures		$1,002.04
Balance, February, 1948		697.96
		$1,700.00

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

To the Directors of Parsons Memorial Library—

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit the annual report of the library.

The routine work at the library this past year has been increased by a pay shelf. This innovation was started upon the advice of a representative from the State Library and has proved very popular.

The book fund is still much smaller than in previous years but with the pay shelf we have been able to buy most of the latest fiction and it has more than paid for itself.

We have purchased a new set of Compton's Encyclopedias that seem to be proving useful to the students and the rest of our books have been donated by interested individuals, including members of the ever generous Parsons family.

Mr. Lincoln Holmes has given us a subscription to McKeel Stamp magazine and Mr. Henry Parsons has generously remembered us again with an extra check for maintenance.

In the spring I had the privilege of attending a round table held at the Kennebunk library and meeting librarians from other parts of the state. This was a very enjoyable and helpful occasion and I received many suggestions, which I have tried to carry out.

Two new names have been added to the Book Committee, Mrs. Allan Brooks and Mrs. Harry Drew.

Mrs. Drew has also been appointed a director to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Miss Mary Emerson.

The building was cleaned during the spring and a much needed light has been recently installed above the cellar stairs.

The committee appointed to do something special for the children Book Week was unable to carry out its plans but several new books were bought for the younger children at this particular time.

A number of new cards have been issued during the year but I wish more adults used the library.

School children are taught that books are the key to knowledge and learning. But that's only the beginning. All through life books are the key to laughter, thrills, mystery, science, hobbies, business, and yes, perfect relaxation.

Following is a list of books added during the past year.

Respectfully submitted

FLORENCE R. HEWEY,

Librarian.

Books Added During Past Year

Adams, Samuel Alexander Woolcott, His Life
Allbrand, Martha Whispering Hill
Alexander, Roy The Cruise of the Raider Wolf
Allen, Col. Robert S. Ed. Our Fair City
Andrezel, Pierre The Angelic Avengers
Angle, Paul M. The Lincoln Reader

Babcock, Ruth Julie
Baboisse, Henri Under Fire
Bailey, Carolyn Miss Hickory

Baker, Louise Out On A Limb
Baldwin, Faith Sleeping Beauty
Bard, Emily Chinese Life in Town and Country
Barres Charles de Gaulle
Bassett, Sara Ware Head Winds
Belloc, Hillaire Paris
Benet, Wm. The Dust Which Is God
Berge, Victor The Pearl Diver
Bingham, William Ancestor's Brocade
Bishop, Claire V. Pancakes Paris
Bois, Wm. du Twenty-one Ballons
Bonner, Geraldine Leading Lady
Bovey, Katherine Beloved Friend
Brace, Gerald Warner The Garretson Chronicle
Brittain, Vera Testament of Youth
Buck, Pearl Pavillion of Women
Burnett, Frances H. The Secret Garden
Bushnell, Alyn Tide-Rode

Caldwell, Taylor This Side of Innocence
Caldwell, Taylor There was a Time
Campbell, Grace Thorn Apple Tree
Cannell, Kathleen Jam Yesterday
Carleton, Wm. New Fires for Old
Cather, Willa One of Ours
Cavanna, Betty Spurs for Susanna
Chamberlain Fair is our Land
Child, Frank S. The House with the Sixty Closets
Coatsworth, Elizabeth Maine Ways
Collins, Rosemary Dulcimer Street
Compton's Encyclopedia Volumes 1 to 10
Cooper, Louise F. The Deer on the Stair
Coper, Louise F. Summer Stranger
Costain, Thomas The Money Man
Cross, John The Angry Plant

Dana, Dorothea Sugar Bush

Davenport, Marcia East Side, West Side
Dern, Peggy Christmas Hill
Dickens, Monica The Happy Prisoner
Dickinson, Emily Bolts of Melody
Dixon, Franklin The Tower Treasure
Dixon, Franklin The Disappearing Floor

Eberhart, Mignon Another Woman's House
Ecenrode, H. T. The Randolphs
Erdman, Loula Grace The Years of the Locust

Ferber, Edna One Basket
Feuchtmanger, Lion Proud Destiny
Forbes, Rosetta Henry Morgan, Pirate
Ford, Edward Don Marshall, Announcer
Frazier, Neta Lohnes By-Line Dennie
Friedman, Nancy Mrs. Mike

Garis, Howard Polly Prentiss Keeps a Promise
Garis, Lillian Joan Just Girl
Garis, Lillian A Girl and Her Dad
Garis, Howard Two Wild Cherries
Gilpatrick, George Village of Kennebunk, Maine
Godden, Rumer Thus Far and No Further
Godden, Rumer Take Three Tenses
Goertz, Arthemise Give Us Our Dream
Gould, R. E. Yankee Drummer
Gould,John The House that Jacob Built
Grey, Zane Valley of Wild Horses
Grove, Harriet P. Ann's Search Rewarded
Gunther, John Inside the U. S. A.
Guthrie, A. B. Jr. The Big Sky

Hall, Rublea The Great Tide
Hall, Beanie Dear Susan Brown
Halsey, Margaret Color Blind
Hark, Anne Story of the Pennsylvania Dutch

Hartwell, James Uncle Jim's Bible Stories
Haskel, Helen E. Billy's Princess
Hawthorne, Nathaniel Twice Told Tales
Henby, S. A. With Wolf in Canada
Henry, Marguerite Misty of the Chincoteague
Hersey, John Hiroshima
Hichens, Robert The Spell of Egypt
Hill, Grace L. When Two Ways Meet
Hilton, James Nothing So Strange
Hillyer, Robert My Heart for Hostage
Hodgkins, Eric .. Mr. Blanding Builds his Dream House
Hook, Helen Too Many Kittens
Holt, Gavin Send No Flowers
Hope, Laura Lee Bunny Brown at Camp Post
Hopkins, Tom J. Bullets over Broken Leg
Huggins, Roy Too Late for Tears
Hutchinson, A. S. M. The Happy Warrior

Jackman, Adelbert, M. Country Christmas
James Will Smokey
Janney, Russell The Miracle of the Bells
Jennings, John Boston, Cradle of Liberty
Jerome, Jerome Three Men on Wheels
Johnson, Enid Annie Merriman
Jones, Mary A. Tell Me About Jesus

Kantor, McKinley Happy Land and Gentle Annie
Keith, Agnes N. Three Came Home
Keene, Carolyn Clue of the Broken Locket
Keene, Carolyn Secret of the Old Clock
Keene, Carolyn Mystery of Lilac Inn
Keyes, Frances Parkinson Came a Cavalier
Kierran, John Footnotes on Nature
Kilham, Walter H. Boston after Bulfinch
King, Capt. Charles Foes in Ambush
Kingsley, Charles The Heroes
Kranchenko, Victor I Choose Freedom

Lancaster, Bruce The Scarlet Patch
Lawson, Marie A. The Sea is Blue
Laverty, Maura No More Than Human
Leaf, Munro How to Behave and Why
Lehmann, Rosamond The Gypsy's Baby
Lenski, Lois The Little Farm
Lenski, Lois Phoebe Fairchild—Her Book
Levy, Harriet S. 920 O'Farrell Street
Lincoln, Joseph Partners of the Tide
Loring, Emilie Beckoning Trails
Lucas, E. V. A Wanderer in Paris
Ludwig, Emil Stalin

Macdonald, Golden and Weisgard, Leonard
..... Little Lost Lamb
Macdonald, Golden and Weisgard, Leonard
..... The Little Island
MacDonald, Elizabeth Undercover Girl
MacInnes, Helen Friends and Lovers
Mallette, Gertrude E. No Vacancies
Marshall, Dean The Silver Robin
Marshall, Katherine Tupper Together
Martin, Dahris Adventure in Tunisia
Masefield, John Dead Ned
MacDonald, Betty The Egg and I
Meade, Mrs. L. T. The School Queens
Miller, Alphonse B. Thaddeus Stevens
Mitchell, Pryce Deep Water
Milne, A. A. Behind the Lines
Morrison, Samuel Elliot Builders of the Bay Colony

Newman, Ernest Stories of the Great Operas
Newell, Hope The Story of Christina
Nolan, Jeannette C. Florence Nightingale

Oglevie, Elizabeth The Ebbing Tide
O'Hara, Mary Green Grass of Wyoming
Oppenheim, E. Phillips Nobody's Man

Orwell, George Animal Farm
O'Shea, M. V. Editor-in-Chief
..... World Book of Knowledge (Vols. 1 to 10)

Packard, Frank L. The Adventures of Jimmy Dale
Parmenter Christine Fair Were the Days
Paschal, Nancy Magnolia Heights
Peck, Anne Y. Big Bright Land
Pershing, John J.
.....My Experiences in the World War, Vols 1 and 2
Petersham, Maud and Misha America's Stamps
Porter, Jane The Scottish Chiefs
Pough, Richard H. Audubon Bird Guide
Prouty, Olive Higgins Home Port
Pyle, Ernie Home Country

Rand, Ayn The Fountainhead
Ratcliffe, J. D. Editor Science Year Book 1947
Rawlings, Marjorie Kennan Cross Creek Cooking
Rea, Lorna The Six Mrs. Greens
Rerther, Joseph World History at a Glance
Richmond, Bernice Right as Rain
Roberts, Kenneth Lydia Bailey
Robinson, Henry Morton The Great Show
Roosevelt, Elliot As He Saw It
Ross, Nancy Wilson The Left Hand is the Dreamer

Saroyan, William My Name Is Aram
Seaman, Augusta H. The Brass Keys of Kenwick
Seymour, Flora Warren Pocahontas, Brave Girl
Sharp, Amabel Peggy Parsons at Prep School
Sherwood, Elmer Buffalo Bill
Shellabarger, Samuel Prince of Foxes
Shuman, Richard The Bright Promise
Shute, Nevil The Chequer Board
Shippen, Katherine The Great Heritage

Sidwick, Ethel Duke Jones
Seinkiewicz, Henry Quo Vadis
Simmons, Edward From Seven to Seventy
Sinclair, Upton Dragon's Teeth
Sitwell, Sir Osbert Left Hand, Right Hand
Stebbens, Lucy Poate and Richard The Trollopes
Stern, G. B. The Reasonable Shores
Stewart, Catherine Pomery Her Husband's House
Strafford Esme Those Ernest Victorians
Swanson, Neil H. Unconquered

Tallentyre, S. G. Bassett, A Village Chronicle
Taylor, Rosemary Bar Nothing Ranch
Terhune, Anice The Bert Terhune I Knew
Thirkell, Angelo Northbridge Rectory
Thirkell, Angelo Peace Breaks Out
Thorndyke, Helen
.....Honey Bunch, Her First Trip to the Woods
Thorndyke, Helen
.....Honey Bunch, Her First Winter at Snow Top
Thoron, Ward, Ed. The Letters of Mrs. Henry Adams
Thosmark, Thora The Children of Switzerland
Tikhon, Polner Tolstoy and his Wife
Toynbec, Arnold J. A study of History
Trollope, Anthony Orley Farms, Vols. 1, 2, 3.
Trollope, Anthony Is He Poppenjay? Vols 1 and 2
Trollope, Anthony Framley Parsonage, Vols. 1 and 2
Turnhull, Agnes Sligh The Bishop's Mantle

Untermeyer, Louis A Treasury of Laughter
Urmston, Mary Mystery of the Five Bright Keyes

Vance, Ethel Winter Meeting
Vernadsky, G. A History of Russia
Viele, Herman K. The Last of the Knickerbockers

Wade, Hugh Mason
..... Francis Parkman, Heroic Historian

Waldeck, Theodore J. The Golden Stallion
Walker, Mildred The Quarry
Warren, Sheila Miss Lorena's Cousin
Wells, Evelyn Jed Blaine's Woman
Wellman, Paul I. The Walls of Jericho
White, T. H. Mistress Masham's Repose
White, Robb The Lion's Paw
Whitehill, Dorothy Joy and Gypsy Joe
Wister, Owen Members of the Family
Wilson, Gilbert L. Myths
Wright, Frances The Secret of the Old Sampey Place
Wentworth, Patricia
..... Astonishing Adventures of Jane Smith

Yates, Hadie Seventy Miles from a Lemon
Young, Barbara The Puppet Man and Other Stories
Yerby, Frank The Vixens
Yerby, Frank Foxes of Harrow

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS, 1947

Balance	$3,422.35
New Century Club Books	5.00
Mrs. C. L. Stevens, books	2.00
H. B. Fernald, books	3.50
H. B. Fernald, books	1.65
Henry Parsons	200.00
The New York Trust Co.	75.95
Library Stipend	35.00
Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe R. R.	150.00

H. B. Fernald, pay shelf	10.00
H. B. Fernald, pay shelf	5.00
H. B. Fernald, pay shelf	5.76
H. B. Fernald, books	3.66
H. B. Fernald, books	4.50
H. B. Fernald, pay shelf	6.52
H. B. Fernald, pay shelf	5.00
The New York Trust Co.	70.27
Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe R. R.	150.00
H. B. Fernald, fines	40.00
H. B. Fernald, pay shelf	8.30
Town of Alfred	350.00
Interest on Deposits	35.72
	$4,590.18

EXPENDITURES

Paid by Order of Director	$1,087.18
Cash Balance	3,503.00
	$4,590.18

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,

Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 18, 1948

OLD CEMETERY FUND

Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS, 1947

Balance	$1,870.57
Interest	27.85
	$1,898.42

EXPENDITURES

Paid by Order	$ 39.32
Balance	1,859.10
	$1,898.42

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,

Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 9, 1948

State of Maine

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT

December 2, 1947

Board of Selectmen

Alfred
Maine

Gentlemen:

In accordance with Chapter 16, Section 3 of the Revised Statutes of 1944 and at your request, the records of the Town of Alfred have been audited by Auditor M. W. Bragdon for the period February 12, 1946 to February 8, 1947 inclusive.

The examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards applicable in the circumstances and included all procedures which were considered necessary. Insofar as could be ascertained within the scope of the examination, the financial transactions of the Town appear to have been appropriately handled, with such exceptions as may be noted in the accompanying Comments.

Exhibits and Schedules incorporated in this report impartially present the financial position of the Town and the result of its operations for the period designated.

Comments and other data incorporated in this report may prove of interest to you. All of which is respectfully submitted,

Very truly yours,
FRED M. BERRY,
State Auditor.

FMB/am

COMMENTS

According to the records of the Clerk, the Assessors have, for the second consecutive year, utilized a large amount of surplus to meet the appropriation requirements. Consideration might be given to having practices of this nature authorized by a vote at the annual town meeting.

On February 10, 1945, the Unappropriated Surplus amounted to $7,736.63. On February 8, 1947, there was a Net Deficit of $299.23, or a net loss in the two-year period of $8,035.86.

During the course of this examination, reference was made to the town report on several occasions. It was then noted that financial transactions appearing in the town report were incomplete in several instances. A list of the variations between the audit report and the town report has been made a part of our working papers.

In the examination of books and records maintained by the officers of the Town, no unusual items were found.

The assets and liabilities were verified to the extent deemed necessary.

Cash

All cash was found deposited and all payments were made by check. The balance at the close of the year was reconciled with the bank statement. It was ascertained by a thorough check that all warrants had been paid in full and it appeared that all receipts had been recorded.

Taxes Receivable

As the unpaid current taxes were listed in the town report, no requests for verification were mailed on these items.

At the time of our previous audit, a complete verification was made on prior years' unpaid taxes.

Tax Liens

The unpaid tax liens were found on file at the office of the Judge Hobbs and were checked in detail. Over $1,100 was collected on liens during the year and a considerable amount was adjusted by the Selectmen.

Tax Deeds

The properties of Samuel Clark and A. E. Jacobs, previously covered by tax deeds, were sold by the Town during the 1946 year. Only one deed now remains outstanding.

Investments

In December, 1944, the Town purchased one $500 U. S. Savings Bond which matures in 1956. This bond was examined at the home of the Treasurer.

Special Funds

The corpora of the old Cemetery Fund and the Parsons' Memorial Library Fund were on deposit with banks in Sanford. Expenditures made from the Library Fund were covered by orders authorized by the Directors. No payments were made from the Cemetery Fund.

Accounts Payable

An overpayment of $12.04 was made by Joseph Fournier on 1940 taxes and he should be reimbursed by the Town for this sum.

Other accounts owed by the Town were deductions for Withholding Taxes due the U. S. Government, and Retirement Pension deductions from teachers' salaries due their Association. It is believed all other bills owned by the Town for 1946 had been paid by the close of the fiscal year.

Notes Payable

Authority was given the Treasurer at the annual town meeting to borrow $600 for work done on the so-called Nutter Road. This note was outstanding at February 8, 1947.

Surplus

The Appropriated Surplus represents appropriation balances carried forward from year to year as required by law. This amounted to $3,874.18 and reference to Exhibit D will disclose the accounts affected.

The Unappropriated Surplus was reduced to a Net Deficit of $299.23 during the year under review. Exhibit E analyzes the major factors contributing to the decrease of $3,949.62 in this account during the fiscal year.

General

A detailed examination was made of all cash receipts and disbursements and all payrolls for the year.

Other invoices were test checked and appeared to be proper charges.

The excise tax receipts were added and found to be in agreement with monies deposited with the Treasurer. It was noted, however, that such deposits included receipts to December 31, 1946 only, although the fiscal year did not end until February 8, 1947. Receipts should be paid in full by the Collector to the Treasurer every thirty days, as provided in Chapter 81, Section 105, of the Revised Statutes of 1944.

Corporate surety bonds for the Treasurer and Collector were found on file and appeared to be proper.

The records of the Town Clerk were examined for appropriations, salaries of officers and oaths of office.

TOWN OF ALFRED — Exhibit A
COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

	February 8, 1947		February 11, 1946	
Cash		$ 3,084.98		$6,166.97
Accounts Receivable				1,149.13
Taxes Receivable:				
Current Year (Schedule A-1)	1,065.17		1,525.24	
Prior Years (Schedule A-1)	1,135.47		1,161.57	
	2,200.64		2,686.81	
Less—Reserve for Losses	770.53		876.86	
		1,430.11		1,809.95
Tax Liens (Schedule A-2)	786.12		2,240.44	
Less—Reserve for Losses	152.85		126.18	
		633.27		2,114.26
Tax Deeds (Schedule A-3)	19.26		97.14	
Less—Reserve for Losses	9.63		48.57	
		9.63		48.57
Investments (Schedule A-4)		500.00		500.00
Special Funds: (Schedule A-5)				
Parsons' Memorial Library	3,422.35		3,122.66	
Old Cemetery Account	1,870.57		1,842.84	
		5,292.92		4,965.50
TOTAL ASSETS		$10,950.91		$16,754.38

LIABILITIES

Accounts Payable (Schedule A-6)		$ 446.69		$ 385.32
Notes Payable (Schedule A-7)		600.00		
Deferred Revenue—Excise Tax		1,036.35		1,176.67
Special Funds: (Schedule A-5)				
Parsons' Memorial Library	3,422.35		3,122.66	
Old Cemetery Account	1,870.57		1,842.84	
		5,292.92		4,965.50

SURPLUS

Appropriated (Exhibit D)	3,874.18		6,576.50	
Net Deficit (Exhibit E.)	299.23		3,650.39	
		3,574.95		10,226.89
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS		$10,950.91		$16,754.38

TOWN OF ALFRED — Exhibit B
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
Year Ended February 8, 1947

Cach Balance—February 12, 1946			$6,166.97
Add—Cash Receipts:			
Taxes Receivable—			
Current Year (Schedule A-1)	29,269.86		
Prior Years (Schedule A-1)	838.71		
Total Taxes Receivable		30,108.57	
Tax Liens (Schedule A-2)		1,158.78	
Excise Taxes—			
1946 Receipts	779.07		
1947 Receipts	142.39		
Total Excise Taxes		921.46	
Departmental (Schedule B-1)		11,134.29	
Other Receipts—			
Teachers' Pension Fund	205.82		
Teachers' Retirement Fund	222.04		
Withholding Taxes	1,284.23		
Temporary Loans (contra)	4,000.00		
New Notes Issued	600.00		
Sale of Tax Acquired Property	361.75		
Accounts Receivable	1,149.13		
Tax Overpayment	12.04		
Parents' Club (contra)	15.57		
Total Other Receipts		7,850.58	
TOTAL CASH RECEIPTS			51,173.68
TOTAL AVAILABLE			57,340.65
Deduct—Cash Disbursements:			
Departmental (Exhibit D)		48,577.34	
Temporary Loans (contra)		4,000.00	
Teachers' Pension Fund		201.06	
Teachers' Retirement Fund		205.63	
Withholding Taxes		1,256.07	
Parents' Club (contra)		15.57	
TOTAL CASH DISBURSEMENTS			54,255.67
CASH BALANCE—Feb. 8, 1947 (Exhibit A)			$ 3,084.98

TOWN OF ALFRED Exhibit C
1946 VALUATION, ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION
Year Ended February 8, 1947

	Real Estate	Personal Estate	Total
VALUATION			
Resident	$303,413.00	$ 49,806.00	$353,219.00
Non-Resident	78,770.00	60,389.00	139,159.00
	$382,183.00	$110,195.00	$492,378.00
ASSESSMENT			
Valuation x rate — $492,378.00 x .061		$ 30,035.06	
245 Polls at $3.00		735.00	
Gain in Computation		.10	
Tax Commitment		30,770.16	
Supplemental Taxes		97.73	
Total Assessment Charged to Collector			30,867.89
Collection and Credits:			
Cash Collections		29,269.86	
Abatements		170.85	
Discounts Allowed		362.01	
Total Collection and Credits			29,802.72
1946 Taxes Receivable—February 8, 1947 (Exhibit A)			$ 1,065.17
COMPUTATION OF ASSESSMENT			
Tax Commitment (as above)		$ 30,770.16	
Excise Tax Applied		1,061.78	
Transferred from Surplus (Exhibit E)		3,979.13	
			35,811.07
Requirements:			
Appropriations		29,342.40	
State Tax		4,274.33	
County Tax		770.42	
Total Requirements			34,387.15
Overlay—Transferred to Net Deficit (Exhibit E)			$ 1,423.92

TOWN OF ALFRED — Exhibit E

ANALYSIS OF CHANGE FROM AN UNAPPROPRIATED SURPLUS TO A NET DEFICIT

Year Ended February 8, 1947

Unappropriated Surplus—February 12, 1946			$3,650.39
Adjustments affecting prior years: Charge—			
Adjustments on Tax Liens and Tax Deeds by Selectmen with authority given Judge Hobbs to prepare quitclaim deeds		991.09	
Increase of Tax Lien Reserve		26.67	
		1,017.76	
Credit—Decrease of Tax Reserve		106.33	
Net Adjustments			911.43
Adjusted Surplus			2,738.96
Decrease:			
Transfer to Appropriations (Exhibit C)		3,979.13	
Issuance of Nutter Road Note		600.00	
Appropriation Balances—			
Overdrafts (Exhibit D)	2,011.45		
Unexpended Exhibit D)	1,668.99		
		342.46	
Total Decrease		4,921.59	
Increase:			
Sale of Tax Acquired Property	361.75		
Overlay (Exhibit C)	1,423.92		
Supplemental Taxes	97.73		
Total Increase		1,883.40	
Net Decrease			3,038.19
Net Deficit—February 8, 1947 (Exhibit A)			$ 299.23

TOWN OF ALFRED Schedule A-1
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN TAXES RECEIVABLE
Year Ended February 8, 1947

	Total	Current Year	Prior Years
Taxes Receivable—February 12, 1946	$2,686.81		$2,686.81
Add: Taxes Levied	30,770.16	30,770.16	
Supplemental Taxes	97.73	97.73	
Total Additions	30,867.89	30,867.89	
Total	33,554.70	30,867.89	2,686.81
Deduct: Collections	30,108.57	29,269.86	838.71
Abatements	253.55	170.85	82.70
Discounts Allowed	362.01	362.01	
Transfers to Tax Liens (Schedule A-2)	629.93		629.93
Total Deductions	31,354.06	29,802.72	1,551.34
Taxes Receivable—February 8, 1947	$2,200.64	$1,065.17	$1,135.47

Schedule A-2

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN TAX LIENS

Tax Liens—February 12, 1946		$2,240.44
Add—Tax Liens Acquired:		
Transfers from Taxes Receivable	629.93	
Interest	26.68	
Total Additions		656.61
Total		2,897.05
Deduct:		
Payments Received	1,158.78	
Adjustments	952.15	
Total Deductions		2,110.93
Tax Liens—February 8, 1947		$ 786.12

TOWN OF ALFRED Schedule A-3
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN TAX DEEDS
Year Ended February 8, 1947

Tax Deeds—February 12, 1946	$	97.14
Deduct:		
Adjustment for Properties Sold by Town		77.88
Tax Deeds—February 8, 1947	$	19.26 (a)

(a) Detail:
1929—Alfred Jenkins $19.26 (Deed not on file)

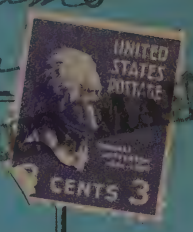
INVESTMENTS Schedule A-4

1 U. S. Savings Bond, 2½%, Series G, dated December, 1944, due 12 years, No. D1677977G	$	500.00

TOWN OF ALFRED Schedule B-1
STATEMENT OF DEPARTMENTAL CASH RECEIPTS
Year Ended February 8, 1947

	From State	Other Sources	Total
GENERAL GOVERNMENT			
Bank Stock Tax	$ 33.90		
Railroad and Telegraph Tax	52.45		
Rent of Hall		25.00	
Advertising		15.00	
Interest on Investments		12.50	
Total General Government	86.35	52.50	138.85
PROTECTION			
Fire Department		407.58	
Forest Fires	37.62		
Refund for Insurance		229.46	
Total Protection	37.62	637.04	674.66
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES			
Tar and Culvert		127.00	
Snow Removal	241.61		
State Aid Road Construction	3,465.00		
Road Improvement Fund	1,126.70		
Refund		14.64	
Total Highways and Bridges	4,833.31	141.64	4,974.95
EDUCATION			
State School Fund	4,892.20		
Tuition		102.00	
Refunds		5.20	
Total Tuition	4,892.20	107.20	4,999.40
INTEREST			
On Taxes and Tax Liens		346.43	346.43
Total Departmental Cash Receipts	$9,849.48	$1,284.81	$11,134.29

George H. Williams
Town



Annual Report

of the

Town Officers

of the

TOWN OF ALFRED

MAINE

For the Year Ending

FEBRUARY 5, 1949

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

Financial Condition

and the

Receipts and Expenditures

of the

Town of
ALFRED, MAINE

Together with the Report of

Selectmen, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Superintendent of Schools, High School Principal, Supervisor of Music, Alfred Fire Department, Directors and Librarian of Parsons Memorial Library

For the Year

ENDING FEBRUARY 5, 1949

The Lincoln Press, 169 Main St., Sanford, Me.

TOWN OFFICERS

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Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

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ROSCOE A. HUSSEY HENRY M. KNIGHT

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WILLARD STONE

HELEN LEWIS (part term) PHYLLIS BUTLER

Superintendent of Schools

MAYNARD E. WRIGHT

Treasurer

JAMES W. PLUMMER

Road Commissioners

THOMAS J. SCOTT LELAND GILE

Tax Collector

FREEMAN P. BILLINGS

Health Officer

DR. CARL E. RICHARDS

Constable

DUDLEY T. FORREST

Directors of Parsons Memorial Library

CHARLES L. STEVENS HERBERT B. FERNALD

MARION E. HEWEY

HATTIE E. CLARK BERTHA F. DREW

DAVID H. WILSON

REPORT OF BUDGET MEETING, FEBRUARY 17, 1949

Equipment for New Fire Truck	$1,750.00
Alfred Fire Department	1,250.00
Alfred Water Co.	1,600.00
Park and Trees	350.00
Discounts and Abatements	300.00
Street Lights	420.00
Highways and Bridges	1,500.00
Stone Roads	350.00
State Aid Construction	799.50
Maintenance of and Tarring Roads	750.00
Incidentals	2,500.00
Insurance on Town Property	700.00
Maintenance of State Aid Highway	1,000.00
Opening Roads in Winter	3,000.00
Parsons Memorial Library	350.00
Repairs, Equipment, Insurance and Improvement on School Buildings (Plus $660.78 Unexpended)	1,400.00
Support of Schools	14,500.00
Public Health Nurse	100.00
Public Health Officer	25.00
Support of Poor	500.00
War Veteran Aid Account	50.00
Cutting Bushes	300.00
Writing up Valuation Books	50.00
Painting Town Hall—White	850.00

Voted to Adjourn,

ELSIE A. DAVIS,
Clerk

TOWN WARRANT

STATE OF MAINE

County of York, ss:

To Dudley T. Forrest, a Constable of the Town of Alfred, said County.

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said Town of Alfred, qualified by law to vote in Town Affairs, to meet at the Town House in said Town on the Twelfth day of March, 1949 A. D. at Ten O'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, Treasurer, Collector, Superintendent of Schools, Road Commissioners, Town Clerk, and other Town Officers.

Article 3. To elect a Town Clerk, three Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, one member Superintending School Committee for three years, Town Treasurer, Road Commissioner, Tax Collector, Constable, two Directors Parsons Memorial Library for three years.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Road Commissioner or Commissioners as per Section

20, Chapter 80 of the Revised Statutes of 1944, not exceeding three, and proceed to elect the same.

Article 5. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for maintenance of Alfred Fire Department.

Article 6. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Hydrant Rental and Town water service as per contract with the Alfred Water Company.

Article 7. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for care of Fountain and Park, and spray trees.

Article 8. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Discounts and Abatements.

Article 9. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Street Lights.

Article 10. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Maintenance of Highways and Bridges.

Article 11.. To see if the Town will vote to raise money by tax assessment and appropriate for Construction of State Aid Roads in addition to the amounts regularly raised for Ways, Highways and Bridges under the provisions of Section 25 and 29, Chapter 20 R. S. 1944 as amended.

Article 12. To see what sum of money, if any, the

Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for maintaining and tarring Town Roads.

Article 13. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for repairing Stone's Road from Stone's House to Hay Brook.

Article 14. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate to repair and tar the cross road leading from the School to the County Jail.

Article 15. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Incidental Expenses.

Article 16. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Insurance on Town Property.

Article 17. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Maintenance of State Aid Highways.

Article 18. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Opening Roads in Winter.

Article 19. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Parsons Memorial Library.

Article 20. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate to equip the new fire truck.

Article 21. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Repairs, Equipment, Insurance, and Improvements on School Building.

Article 22. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Support of Elementary and Secondary Schools including Salary and Tuition.

Article 23. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for the services of a Public Health Officer.

Article 24. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for the services of a Public Health Officer.

Article 25. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Relief for the Poor.

Article 26. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for War Veterans' Aid Account.

Article 27. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Cutting Bushes.

Article 28. To see whether or not the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine, in accordance with the provisions

of Chapter 80, Section 95, of the Revised Statutes 1944.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote the sum of $50.00 to pay for writing up new valuation book.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to procure a temporary loan or loans in anticipation of taxes for the purpose of paying obligations of the Town, such loan or loans to be paid during the current year out of money raised during said current municipal year from taxes.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to pay the Collector of Taxes one per cent of the total collection of taxes.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to allow a 2% discount on all taxes paid within 30 days after commitment.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to charge interest on all taxes unpaid on September 1st until paid and to fix the amount.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell and dispose of property acquired by the Town by tax process and execute Quit-Claim Deeds in behalf of the Inhabitants of the Town of Alfred for such property.

Article 35. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate to paint the Town Hall white.

Article 36. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate to care for Evergreen Cemetery.

Article 37. To see what action the Town will vote to take towards fulfilling a request from the Maine State Library, Augusta, Maine, for the Town reports for the years ending March 1867-86 inclusive; 1888; 1889 and 1897.

Article 38. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session at the above named hall and place of meeting on Saturday, March 12, 1949, the day of said meeting, for the purpose of correcting the list of voters, from 9:00 o'clock A. M. until the polls are closed.

Polls will be open for voting at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon.

GERARD C. RICKER,
ROSCOE A. HUSSEY,
HENRY M. KNIGHT,
Selectmen of Alfred

Dudley T. Forrest,
Constable of the Town of Alfred.

Report of Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

For the Municipal Year Ending February 5, 1949

Appropriated to Defray Town Expenses, State and County Taxes, Etc.

Tarring Road from Route 111 to Depot	$ 200.00
Alfred Fire Department	1,250.00
Alfred Water Co., hydrant rental	1,600.00
Care of Fountain and Park	50.00
Discounts and Abatements	300.00
Electric Street Lights	420.00
Highways and Bridges	1,500.00
Incidentals	2,500.00
Insurance on Town Property (not including school)	700.00
Maintenance of State Aid Highways	987.10
Opening Roads in Winter	3,000.00
Parsons Memorial Library	350.00
Public Health Nurse	100.00
Public Health Officer	25.00
Repairs, Equipment and Insurance of Schools	1,900.00
Support of Schools	15,000.00
War Memorial	2,000.00
Valuation Book, copying same	50.00
Forest Fire Bills	3,313.45
New Tank Truck	3,000.00
State Aid Construction	799.00
Total Appropriation	$39,044.55

State Tax (after abatement)	$3,447.16	
County Tax	979.20	
Overlay	652.88	
Total to be Assessed		$44,123.79
Excise Tax for 1947	1,825.50	
Polls for 1948	810.00	
		$ 2,635.50
To be Assessed by Property Tax		$41,488.29

VALUATION

Real Estate, Resident	$336,661.00	
Real Estate, Non-Resident	65,167.00	
Personal Estate	58,042.00	
Personal Estate, Non-Resident	100,782.00	
Total Valuation		$560,652.00

Tax Rate .074

PROPERTY EXEMPTION FROM TAXATION, 1948

Owned by Veterans and Veterans' Widows	$ 5,630.00	
Exempt by Vote of Town, Alfred Water Co.	1,290.00	
Owned by Town of Alfred	460.00	
Owned by United States Forest Service	18,862.00	
		$ 26,242.00

INCIDENTALS

Appropriated			$2,500.00
Paid 1948:			
Mar. 6	John Yates, janitor	$ 6.25	
	Central Maine Power Co.	4.90	
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	4.25	
Mar. 26	Dudley T. Forrest, Vital Statistics	2.00	
	David Knight, shovel hydrants	4.00	
	John Yates, janitor	11.00	
Apr. 7	John G. Smith, Discharge Liens	1.56	
	Lincoln Press, printing ballots	18.50	
	Loring, Short & Harmon, stationery	11.53	
Apr. 10	Loring, Short & Harmon, New Books, Stationery	35.55	
	Lincoln Press, Town Reports	210.00	
	New England Tel. & Tel., Town Hall	3.35	
	Central Maine Power Co., Town Hall	1.68	
Apr. 15	John A. Roberts, supplies for Town Hall and barbed wire	12.70	
	Dudley T. Forrest, Services	1.00	
	Agnes Allen, Ballot Clerk	5.00	
	Elizabeth Beals, Ballot		

	Clerk	5.00
	Raymond Randell, Moderator	10.00
Apr. 29	John Yates, janitor service	14.25
May 15	John Yates, Town Dump	8.63
	Loring, Short & Harmon, Supplies	1.00
	Central Maine Power Co., Hall	1.50
	New England Tel. & Tel. Co., Hall	3.35
May 27	Maine Municipal Association, Service Charge	35.00
	Ruby MacLellan, Clerk, Town Meeting	10.00
	John Yates, Repair Booths	12.38
	Loring, Short & Harmon, Veterans' Flags	12.00
	Central Maine Power Co.	1.50
	Forrest Clark, labor, hall and dump	5.75
	Ken Yates, dump	19.00
	Albert Yates, rubbish	4.00
	Leavitt Insurance Agency, Treasurer's Bond	10.00
Jun. 11	Charles and Clara McQuillin, paint flag pole	25.00
	Sanford Pharmacy, biologicals	22.01
	Walter Davis, Veteran Graves	10.00
	Register of Deeds, Property transfers	26.00
	New England Tel. & Tel., hall	3.35
Jun. 24	Lincoln Press, check lists	34.75
	Agnes Allen, Ballot Clerk	5.00
	Eliazbeth Beals, ballot clerk	5.00
	Harry Drew, Election	

	Clerk	5.00
	Dudley T. Forrest, Election Clerk	5.00
	Henry Knight, June Primary	5.00
	Roscoe Hussey, June Primary	5.00
	Gerard C. Ricker, June Primary	5.00
	Elsie Davis, June Primary	5.00
July 10	John Gerry, Watchman July 4th	21.00
	New England Tel. & Tel., hall	3.40
	Register of Deeds, Record Liens	13.00
	E. C. Ricker & Sons, hose and fittings for dump	15.92
July 22	Leavitt Insurance Agency, Collector's Bond	10.00
	John Yates, burn dump	8.75
	Marks Printing House, Liens	3.50
July 28	Gerard C. Ricker, part salary	125.00
	Henry Knight, part salary	125.00
	Roscoe Hussey, part salary	125.00
	E. C. Ricker & Sons, repair hose and clean square	2.50
Aug. 6	Lincoln Press, Tax Bills	24.75
	Ken Yates, grade and burn dump	73.00
	New England Tel & Tel., hall	3.35
	Central Maine Power Co., hall	3.00

Aug. 20	Loring, Short & Harmon, Town Clerk envelopes	5.00
Sept. 2	Loring, Short & Harmon, Town Blanks	.75
Sept. 16	Alfred Congregational Church, donation	100.00
	Roscoe Hussey, September Election	5.00
	Henry Knight, September Election	5.00
	Margaret Hardy, September Election	5.00
	Agnes Allen, September Election	5.00
	Harry Drew, September Election	5.00
	Harold Hall, September Election	5.00
	Gerard Ricker, September Election	5.00
	Elsie Davis, September Election	5.00
Sept. 30	New England Tel. & Tel., hall	3.25
Oct. 12	Central Maine Power Co., hall	4.00
	New England Tel. & Tel., hall	4.65
	John W. Yates, September Election and dump	11.43
	Frank P. Murphy, telephone calls	5.39
Oct. 14	J. W. Plummer, part salary	200.00
	Loring, Short & Harmon, stationery	3.40

Nov. 11	Titcomb & Siddall, legal advice	10.00
	New England Tel. & Tel., hall	3.25
	John G. Smith, discharge lien	.50
	Roscoe Hussey, Presidential Election	5.00
	Henry Knight, Presidential Election	5.00
	Gerard C. Ricker, Presidential Election	5.00
	Agnes Allen, Presidential Election	5.00
	Margaret Hardy, Presidential Election	5.00
	Harry Drew, Presidential Election	5.00
	Dudley Forrest, Presidential Election	5.00
	Elsie Davis, Presidential Election	5.00
Nov. 29	Ken Yates, clean and burn dump	25.00
	John Yates, burn dump	6.75
	Dudley Forrest, destroy dog	2.00
Dec. 10	New England Tel. & Tel., hall	3.44
1949		
Jan. 6	State Treasury, dog tax def.	9.40
	State Highway Commission, cold patch, Nutter road	13.50
	John G. Smith, Q. C.	

	Deeds	2.06
	State Treasury, 1947 Audit	109.92
	Central Maine Power Co., hall	4.56
	Guy Horne, signs at dump	2.00
Jan. 7	New England Tel. & Tel., hall	3.50
	Central Maine Power Co., hall	5.40
	Forrest Clark, dump	6.36
Jan. 20	Harold Deshon, repair hall door	3.50
	Henry Knight, balance salary	125.00
	Roscoe Hussey, balance salary	150.00
	Gerard C. Ricker, balance salary	175.00
Feb. 4	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies	1.16
	E. C. Ricker & Sons, postage, telephone and supplies	13.49
	Elizabeth Beals, half salary	5.00
	Helen Lewis, half salary	5.00
	Willard Stone, salary for year	10.00
	Phyllis Butler, salary for year	10.00
	David Knight, shovel hydrants	8.00
	J. W. Plummer, postage, telephone, deeds and liens	39.87
	J. W. Plummer, balance salary	50.00
	Elsie Davis, salary for year	50.00
	Elsie Davis, postage, sta-	

	tionery and recording	27.16	
	Central Maine Power Co., hall	4.48	
Feb. 5	Wilbur G. Shaw, repair hall door	5.92	
	New England Tel. & Tel., hall	3.50	
	John Yates, janitor	11.37	
	Forrest Clark, drain hall	2.50	
	Freeman P. Billings, P. P., Tel., Liens	46.37	
	Freeman P. Billings, salary	393.04	
	Roscoe Butler, sealer of weights and measures	5.00	
	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies	1.75	
	Elsie Davis, work on town report for year ending Feb. 6, 1948 town meeting warrant	19.75	
	Elsie Davis, Q. C. Deed (Stearns)	6.00	
	Dudley Forrest, salary for year	18.00	
	Albert Yates, hall rubbish	5.00	
1948			
Jun. 1	Interest on Bond		6.25
Aug. 6	Bank Stock		34.75
Oct. 23	Hall Rent		15.00
Nov. 12	Hall Rent		15.00
Nov. 26	Hall Rent		5.00
Dec. 4	Interest on Bond		6.25
Dec. 22	Dog License Refund, 1946		72.59
Dec. 22	R. R. and Tel. Tax		76.25
	Overlay		295.19
		$3,026.28	$3,026.28

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriated			$ 420.00
1948			
Mar. 6	Central Maine Power Co.	$ 35.00	
Apr. 10	Central Maine Power Co.	35.00	
May 15	Central Maine Power Co.	35.00	
Jun. 11	Central Maine Power Co.	35.00	
July 10	Central Maine Power Co.	35.00	
Sept. 2	Central Maine Power Co.	35.00	
Oct. 12	Central Maine Power Co.	70.00	
Nov. 11	Central Maine Power Co.	35.00	
Dec. 10	Central Maine Power Co.	35.00	
1949			
Jan. 6	Central Maine Power Co.	35.00	
Feb. 5	Central Maine Power Co.	35.00	
			$ 420.00

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Appropriated			$1,500.00
1948			
Mar. 26	Leland Gile	$ 70.75	
Apr. 10	Leland Gile	61.00	
Apr. 29	Leland Gile	82.00	
May 15	Leland Gile	33.90	
May 15	Leland Gile	88.75	
Jun. 11	Leland Gile	192.35	
Jun. 24	Leland Gile	64.25	
Sept. 30	Leland Gile	112.25	
1949			
Jan. 7	Leland Gile	73.20	
			$ 778.45

1948				
Apr. 29	Thomas Scott		$ 54.00	
Apr. 29	Thomas Scott		20.24	
Apr. 29	Thomas Scott		489.20	
Aug. 6	Thomas Scott		180.48	
1949				
Jan. 6	Thomas Scott		78.75	
Jan. 6	Thomas Scott		18.00	
				$ 840.67
Overdraft				$ 119.12
				$1,619.12

OPENING ROADS IN WINTER

Thomas Scott

Appropriated			$3,000.00
1948			
Mar. 6	Payroll	$ 198.70	
Mar. 6	Payroll	58.80	
Apr. 29	Payroll	27.00	
Apr. 29	Payroll	120.00	
1949			
Jan. 6	Payroll	78.00	
Feb. 4	W. H. Shurtleff, salt	68.70	
	Tractor Account	76.74	
	Total		$ 627.94

Leland Gile

1948				
Apr. 10	Payroll	$	37.00	
Nov. 29	Payroll		117.60	
Nov. 29	Payroll		132.10	
1949				
Jan. 6	Payroll		9.70	
Jan. 7	Payroll		29.95	
Jan. 7	Payroll		47.50	
Jan. 7	Payroll		44.80	
Feb. 4	Payroll		60.00	
Feb. 4	Payroll		43.15	
	Tractor Account		76.74	
	Total			$ 598.54

Harold Hall

1948				
Mar. 6	Payroll	$	157.16	
Mar. 6	Payroll		118.96	
Mar. 6	Payroll		110.66	
Mar. 26	Payroll		162.39	
	Total			$ 549.17
1948				
Jun. 11	Town of Shapleigh			
	Hussey Road	$	58.19	
	Unexpended Balance		1,939.16	
				$1,997.00
July 7	State Treasury Refund			773.00
	Total			$3,773.00

REPAIRS ON TRACTOR CHARGED TO SNOW ACCOUNT

1948			
Apr. 7	Eastern Tractor & Equipment Co., repairs	$ 136.50	
May 27	Billings' Garage, work on tractor	8.22	
1949			
Feb. 4	Eastern Tractor & Equipment Co., repairs	8.76	
			$ 153.48

Note: This account covers gas, oil and repairs to tractor and is charged to Snow Account.

CONSTRUCTION OF STATE AID ROADS

Appropriated $ 799.00

State Aid No. 3

	Balance from last year		$ 533.00
1948			
Sept. 2	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	$ 84.16	
	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	666.80	
Sept. 16	Thomas Scott, gravel	81.00	
Sept. 16	E. C. Ricker & Sons, gravel	60.90	
Sept. 30	P. R. Boston, tar	420.00	
Sept. 30	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	52.80	
Sept. 30	P. R. Boston, tar	253.75	
Sept. 30	Thomas Scott, gravel	5.70	
Sept. 30	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	74.00	
			$1,699.11

State Aid No. 7

	Balance from last year		$ 533.00
1948			
Aug. 20	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	$ 135.00	
Sept. 16	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	545.65	
Sept. 16	Thomas Scott, gravel	141.10	
Sept. 16	E. C. Ricker & Sons, gravel	25.70	
Sept. 16	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	514.20	
Sept. 30	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	5.50	
Sept. 30	Thomas Scott, gravel	3.80	
Sept. 30	P. R. Boston, tar	455.00	
		$1,825.95	

State Aid No. 8

	Balance from last year		$1,066.00
1948			
Aug. 6	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	$ 48.16	
Aug. 20	Bancroft-Martin, culvert	54.64	
Aug. 20	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	249.90	
Aug. 20	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	942.80	
Aug. 20	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	361.80	
Sept. 2	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	81.40	
Sept. 2	Edward H. Emery, tar	352.00	
Sept. 2	Wilbur Roberts, gravel	265.60	
Sept. 2	E. C. Ricker & Sons, gravel	22.80	
Sept. 30	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	16.10	
Sept. 30	P. R. Boston, tar	350.00	
Sept. 30	Thomas Scott, gracel	3.10	
		$2,748.30	
1948			
Jun. 19	Received from State road subsidy result of fire		305.40

1949			
Jan. 29	Received from State		3,149.21
	Unexpended Balance	$ 112.25	
		$6,385.61	$6,385.61

RURAL ROAD (SPECIAL STATE FUND) MUD MONEY

1948			
Sept. 2	Frank P. Murphy	$ 410.70	
Sept. 2	Frank P. Murphy	830.64	
Sept. 2	E. C. Ricker & Sons, gravel	158.60	
	Unexpended Balance	1,086.93	
1948			
Feb. 25	Received from State (1947)		1,253.98
Nov. 29	Received from State		1,232.89
		$2,486.87	$2,486.87

MAINTENANCE OF STATE AID HIGHWAYS

	Appropriated		$ 987.10
1948			
Nov. 29	State Highway Commission	$ 975.50	
	Unexpended Balance	11.60	
		$ 987.10	$ 987.10

TARRING ROAD FROM ROUTE NO. 111 TO B. & M. R. R.

	Appropriated		$ 200.00
1948			
Sept. 30	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	$ 136.25	
	Unexpended Balance	63.75	
		$ 200.00	$ 200.00

SPECIAL RESOLVE (John Hall Road)

1947	Balance		$ 390.20
1948			
Aug. 20	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	$ 147.40	
Sept. 2	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	110.95	
Sept. 2	Edward H. Emery, tar	280.00	
Sept. 2	E. C. & Ricker and Sons, gravel	13.20	
Sept. 16	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	51.70	
	Thomas Scott	3.00	
	Edward H. Emery, tar	176.00	
	Town of Kennebunk, screen	10.00	
Sept. 30	Frank P. Murphy, payroll	26.20	
1948			
Nov. 17	From State		406.17
	Overlay		22.08
		$ 818.45	$ 818.45

CUTTING BUSHES

1948			
Mar. 20	Voted to carry over from last year		$ 399.28
1948			
Mar. 26	Harold Hall	$ 18.00	
May 15	Leland Gile	12.00	
Jun. 24	Leland Gile	171.60	
1949			
Jan. 6	Thomas Scott	158.40	
	Unexpended Balance	39.28	
		$ 399.28	$ 399.28

WRITING UP VALUATION BOOK

	Appropriated		$ 50.00
July 14	Pauline Donovan	$ 50.00	
		$ 50.00	$ 50.00

WAR MEMORIAL FUND

	Appropriated		$2000.00
1949			
Jan. 20	Carl E. Richards, Chairman	$2,000.00	
		$2,000.00	$2,000.00

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

	Appropriated		$ 100.00
1949			
Jan. 20	Arthur F. Lougee	$ 100.00	
		$ 100.00	$ 100.00

PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICER

	Appropriated		$ 25.00
1949			
Jan. 20	Dr. Carl E. Richards	$ 25.00	
		$ 25.00	$ 25.00

SUPPORT OF POOR

Voted to carry over from last year			$ 100.00
Unexpended		$ 100.00	
		$ 100.00	$ 100.00

VETERANS' AID

Carried over from last year			$ 50.00
Unexpended Balance		$ 50.00	
		$ 50.00	$ 50.00

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Appropriated			$ 350.00
1949			
Jan. 20	Parsons Memorial Library	$ 350.00	
		$ 350.00	$ 350.00

ALFRED WATER CO.

	Appropriated		$1,600.00
1948			
Sept. 2	Alfred Water Co.	$ 800.00	
Dec. 10	Alfred Water Co.	800.00	
		$1,600.00	$1,600.00

CARE OF FOUNTAIN AND PARK

	Appropriated		$ 50.00
1948			
Nov. 29	John Yates	$ 50.00	
		$ 50.00	$ 50.00

MOTHER'S AID

1948			
Oct. 14	Treasury of State, Department of Health and Welfare	$ 85.00	
Nov. 29	Department of Health and Welfare	82.50	
1949			
Feb. 5	Department of Health and Welfare	55.50	
	Total		$ 223.00

BANK LOAN
(By Vote of Town)

1948			
Apr. 7	Sanford Institution for Savings		$ 5,000.00
Apr. 8	Sanford Trust Co.		10,000.00
1949			
Jan. 7	Sanford Trust Co.	$5,000.00	
Feb. 5	Sanford Trust Co.	5,000.00	
Feb. 5	Sanford Institution for Savings	5,000.00	
		$15,000.00	$15,000.00

INTEREST ON LOANS

1948		
Apr. 10	Sanford Trust Co.	$ 145.56
July 10	Sanford Institution for Savings	25.28
Aug. 16	Sanford Trust Co.	66.85

Sept. 30	Sanford Institution for Savings	25.00	
Dec. 14	Sanford Trust Co.	33.34	
1949			
Jan. 20	Sanford Institution for Savings	25.00	
Feb. 5	Sanford Institution for Savings	10.20	
1949			
Feb. 7	Interest Refund (Sanford Trust Co.)		$ 11.39
	Overlay		319.84
		$ 331.23	$ 331.23

INSURANCE ON TOWN PROPERTY

	Appropriated		$ 700.00
1948			
Apr. 29	Homer E. Crooker, Employers' Insurance	$ 90.64	
May 15	J. W. Plummer	222.58	
May 27	J. W. Plummer, Fire Truck	80.64	
Oct. 12	Homer E. Crooker	373.00	
1949			
Jan. 6	J. W. Plummer	48.03	
	Overlay		14.43
	Overdraft		100.46
		$ 814.89	$ 814.89

COUNTY TAX

	By Assessment		$ 979.20
1948			
Oct. 14	County Treasurer	$ 979.20	
		$ 979.20	$ 979.20

STATE TAX

	By Assessment		$4,308.95
1948			
May 7	Abated	$ 861.79	
Nov. 29	Treasury of State	3,447.16	
		$4,308.95	$4,308.95

WITHHOLDING TAX, 1948

1948			
Apr. 10	Collector of Internal Revenue, 1st Quarter	$ 459.59	
July 28	Collector of Internal Revenue, 2nd Quarter	415.53	
Oct. 28	Collector of Internal Revenue, 3rd Quarter	138.30	
1949			
Jan. 6	Collector of Internal Revenue, 4th Quarter	555.20	
			$1,568.62

TEACHERS' RETIREMENT FUND

1948			
July 28	Maine State Employment Association	$ 371.67	
1949			
Jan. 6	Maine State Employment Association	271.00	
			$ 642.67

SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS

1948		
	Appropriated for Schools	$15,000.00
	Appropriated for Repairs and Equipment	1,900.00
May 13	B. & M. R. R. Refund	2.05
Jun. 9	Received from State Treasurer result of fire	109.00
Oct. 4	N. J. Gendron refund	2.60
Dec. 22	Received from State, School Fund	7,610.13
1949		
Jan. 10	Received from State, Education Refund	98.79
Jan. 10	Received from Town of Lyman, John Brock Tuition	27.00
Jan. 21	Received from R. W. Littlefield, Tuition	54.00
Jan. 21	Received from Henry W. Brock, Tuition	14.00
Jan. 24	Received from Town of Lyman, Tuition	62.50

1948				
Feb. 21	John B. Roberts, legal service for school	$	20.00	
	Paid out for School Payrolls, No. 1 to 26 inclusive		23,860.68	

Note: For detail information see the Superintendent of Schools Account.

OVERLAY ALLOWED BY LAW

Assessed According to Law		$ 652.88
Interest on Loans	$ 319.84	
Incidental Account	295.19	
Special Resolve	22.08	
Tank Truck	1.44	
Insurance	14.33	
	$ 652.88	$ 652.88

ALFRED FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriated $1,250.00

1948			
Mar. 6	John Gerry, janitor	$	16.00
Mar. 6	Ralph Littlefield, fuel		29.00
Mar. 6	Central Maine Power Co.		4.74
Mar. 6	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.		3.75
Apr. 10	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.		3.55
Apr. 10	Ralph Littlefield, fuel		19.59
Apr. 10	John Gerry, janitor		16.00

Apr. 10	Central Maine Power Co.	4.60
Jun. 11	Central Maine Power Co.	4.60
May 15	Central Maine Power Co.	6.00
May 15	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	3.55
May 15	Ralph Littlefield, fuel	6.53
May 15	John Gerry, postage	.28
May 27	Billings Garage, gas and repairs	9.07
Jun. 11	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	3.55
July 10	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	3.55
July 10	Central Maine Power Co.	3.50
July 10	Lincoln Press, print cards	9.25
Sept. 30	N. J. Gendron, lumber	113.09
Oct. 12	Central Maine Power Co.	17.35
Oct. 12	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	7.20
Oct. 12	L. W. Kallis, bulbs	.90
Nov. 11	Marshall's Garage, gas, oil and repairs	60.49
Nov. 11	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	7.10
Nov. 11	Central Maine Power Co.	7.10
Nov. 11	John A. Roberts, supplies	22.56
Nov. 11	Genest Concrete Works, cement and labor	40.00
Nov. 11	Carl Hanson, labor on new addition	186.91
Dec. 10	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	3.63
Dec. 10	Central Maine Power Co.	5.22
1949		
Jan. 6	Marshall's Garage, gas, oil and repairs$	22.15
Jan. 6	Thomas Scott, gas, labor and repairs	32.48
Jan. 6	Ralph Littlefield, fuel	3.75
Jan. 7	Ralph Littlefield, fuel	31.50
Jan. 7	Bertram Kallis, gas, oil, anti-freeze	15.45

Jan.	7	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	3.80
Jan.	7	H. E. Colby, janitor	32.00
Jan.	7	Forrest Clark, repairs	3.43
Feb.	5	Genest Concrete Works, cement, labor	74.59
Feb.	5	Central Maine Power Co.	19.76
Feb.	5	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	3.90
Feb.	5	L. W. Kallis, supplies	4.28
Feb.	5	Ralph Littlefield, fuel	27.90
Feb.	5	H. E. Colby, janitor	16.00
Feb.	5	Billings' Garage, gas	2.27
		Unexpended Balance	338.08
			$1,250.00

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1945

Held by Town

Brown, Angelina	$ 35.11
Demille, William	31.66
Littlefield, Ethel	47.13
Makin, J. H., Estate of	12.06
Nowell, Ralph	7.04
	$ 133.03

No interest included after June 1946.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1946

Held by Town

Demille, William	$ 28.68
Garland, Orrin	4.78
	$ 33.46

No interest included after June 1947.

DISCOUNTS AND ABATEMENTS

	Appropriation		$ 300.00
1948			
Jun. 19	John Bshara	$ 15.72	
July 17	Harold Wentworth	56.65	
Aug. 9	Ernest G. Knights	14.24	
Aug. 9	Bertram Kallis	7.40	
Aug. 9	Harold Deshon	1.85	
Aug. 9	Charles Howlett	37.74	
Aug. 9	Dudley T. Forrest	3.00	
Aug. 9	Frederick Paltsits	3.00	
Sept. 16	Clifford Allen	3.00	
Sept. 16	Ernest Allen	2.96	
Sept. 16	B. Chesley Bracy	6.53	
1949			
Jan. 31	Norman Nutter	3.70	
Feb. 5	Ralph Nichols	3.00	
Feb. 5	Joseph Seymore	3.00	
Feb. 5	David Lewis	3.00	
Feb. 5	Henry Lizotte	1.85	
Feb. 5	Willis Webber	3.00	
Feb. 5	Herbert Chadbourne	3.00	
Feb. 5	Percival Woodbury	3.00	
Feb. 5	Octave Day	1.85	
Feb. 5	Frank Estes	3.00	
Feb. 5	Forrest Estes	3.00	
Feb. 5	Staples & Anspough (1946)	30.50	
Feb. 5	Clarence Hartford (1947)	2.18	
Feb. 5	Raymond Hersom (1947)	2.18	
Feb. 5	James Bryer (1947)	3.00	
Feb. 5	Herbert Chadbourne (1947)	3.00	
Feb. 5	Gordon Turner (1947)	3.00	
Feb. 5	Socony Vacuum	1.85	

1949			
Feb. 4	Harold Knight (Refund)	3.00	
Feb. 4	Ernest Hersom (Refund) ..	3.00	
Feb. 4	David Lewis (Refund)	12.95	
	Unexpended Balance	51.85	
		$ 300.00	$ 300.00

TANK TRUCK

	Appropriated		$3,000.00
1948			
Apr. 15	Harold J. Evans, new chassis	$1,750.00	
July 10	Eastern Fire Equipment Co., tank	1,102.54	
Sept. 30	Eastern Fire Equipment Co., siren	60.00	
Sept. 30	Guy Horne, letter truck	6.00	
Oct. 12	Guy Horne, letter truck	10.00	
Oct. 12	Forrest Clark, labor and piping	63.90	
1949			
Jan. 7	Marshall's Garage, painting truck	15.00	
1948			
Oct. 25	Refund, Guy Horne, paid twice		6.00
	Overlay		1.44
		$3,007.44	$3,007.44

Note: Tax Refund due from State.

FOREST FIRES

	Appropriated		$3,313.45
1948			
Apr. 7	Fire Protection Co., hose, etc.	$1,534.00	
Oct. 12	American Fire Equipment Co., supplies	218.94	
1948			
Apr. 8	Insurance for fire guns lost in fire		250.00
	Unexpended Balance	1,810.51	
		$3,563.45	$3,563.45

Note: Unexpended balance intended to reimburse Treasury for fire bills paid last year.

PROPERTY OWNED BY TOWN OF ALFRED

	No. of Acres	
Athletic Field	9	$270.00
Town Dump	1	50.00
Daniel Shackley Meadow	2	10.00
Half of Jewett Mill Privilege	¼	10.00
Noah Robinson Meadow	2	20.00
Ralph Nowell		37.40
Wilfred Allaire		13.31
Esther D. Paul	7	9.07
Ed. I. Littlefield Estate	24	42.21

Respectfully submitted,
GERARD C. RICKER,
ROSCOE A. HUSSEY,
HENRY M. KNIGHT,
Selectmen of Alfred

COLLECTOR'S FINAL REPORT

for

1946 AND 1947 TAXES

As of February 10, 1948, there were outstanding:

Uncollected Personal Taxes, 1946	$ 32.02	
Uncollected Resident Real and Personal Taxes	2,047.91	
Uncollected Non-Resident Real and Personal Taxes	387.50	
Uncollected Poll Taxes	12.00	
		$2,479.43
Plus Interest Collected 2/10/48 to 8/1/48		51.55
		$2,530.98

UNCOLLECTED RESIDENT REAL AND PERSONAL TAXES

Herbert Chadbourne	$ 4.44	
Liens filed with Registrar of Probate	1,201.02	
Treasurer's Receipts since 2/10/48	1,259.41	
Abatements allowed by Assessors	66.11	
		$2,530.98

The face value of liens for 1947 handed to Town Treasurer amounted to $1,201.02 as follows:

Taxes covered 1947 as Committed	$1,201.02	
Interest on Liens, September 1, 1947 to June 1, 1948	56.34	
		$1,257.36

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT, 1948

Commitment Property tax	$41,488.29	
Commitment Poll Tax	810.00	
		$42,298.29
Supplemental Property Tax	$ 253.64	
Supplemental Poll Tax	66.00	
		$ 319.64
Interest Collected 9/1/48 to 2/5/49		214.78
		$42,832.71
Paid Treasurer	$40,934.62	
Discounts allowed according to vote	470.66	
Abatements allowed by Assessors	163.09	
		$41,568.37
Uncollected Resident Taxes	$ 912.39	
Uncollected Non-Resident Taxes	345.95	
Uncollected Poll Taxes	6.00	
		$ 1,264.34
		$42,832.71

UNCOLLECTED RESIDENT TAXES

Real and Personal

Charles H. Burns	$ 27.75
Herbert Chadbourne	99.97
Everett Chadbourne	48.74
Frank Clark and Alice Littlefield	2.22
Edward P. Cook	170.94
William DeMille	11.84
Chestley Flanders	81.77
Harold Hall	101.75
William S. Hilt	55.50
Harvey Hussey	159.47
Albert LaVallee	2.59
Harold Leach	66.60
Charlotte Morin	44.40
Roland Pierce	16.65
Bernard Ridlon	16.65
Joseph Seymore	3.70
Albert Watts	1.85
	$ 912.39

UNCOLLECTED NON-RESIDENT TAXES

Real and Personal

Mrs. Violet Boston	$ 3.70
Mrs. Angelina Brown	81.40
Frances Devlin	1.85
Edward Emery	29.60
Orrin Garland	5.55
Clarence and Harriet Henderson	20.35
Maurice Hill	22.20

George Huard	2.22	
Lydia Littlefield	22.20	
Carl Mitchell	2.22	
Orville Morrill	28.12	
Arthur Morse	14.80	
Willard Paul	5.18	
Jennie Picken	7.03	
Mrs. Florence Prescott	44.40	
George Robinson	8.88	
Alphonse Tanguay	14.06	
William M. Taylor	9.25	
Leo, Philip and Zoel Therrin	5.55	
Arthur Williams	14.80	
Frank A. Clark	2.59	
		$ 345.95

UNCOLLECTED POL TAXES

Kerwin Smilie	$ 3.00	
Albert Watts	3.00	
		$ 6.00

Respectfully submitted,

F. P. BILLINGS,

Tax Collector.

TREASURER'S REPORT, 1948

RECEIPTS

Balance	$ 2,500.92	
Freeman P. Billings, 1948 Real Estate, Personal and Polls	40,916.92	
Freeman P. Billings, 1947 Taxes	1,277.11	
Freeman P. Billings, Excise Tax	2,874.19	
		$47,569.14

Sanford Institution for Savings	$ 5,000.00	
Sanford Trust Co.	10,000.00	
Interest on Bond	12.50	
Sanford Trust Co., Refund Interest	11.39	
Agricultural Insurance Co., 20 Indian Guns	250.00	
Boston and Maine Refund	2.05	
Tax Liens	1,190.21	
N. J. Gendron Lumber Co., Refund	2.60	
Forrest C. Warren, Hall Rent	35.00	
Guy Horne, Refund	6.00	
Town of Lyman, Tuition	27.00	
Ralph W. Littlefield, Tuition	54.00	
Henry W. Brock, Tuition	14.00	
Town of Lyman, Tuition	62.50	
		$16,667.25

State Treasurer

Town Roads	$ 1,253.98
Education	109.00
Highway	305.40
Snow Removal	773.00

Bank Stock Tax	34.75	
Special Resolve	406.17	
Town Roads	1,232.89	
Dog Tax, 1948	72.59	
State School Fund	7,610.13	
Railroad and Telegraph Tax	76.25	
Education	98.79	
State Aid, 1948	3,149.21	
		$15,122.16
Withholding Tax	$ 1,573.44	
Teachers' Retirement	655.46	
		$ 2,228.90
		$81,587.45

EXPENDITURES

By Warrant	$73,616.44
Cash to Balance	7,971.01
	$81,587.45

RESOURCES

1947 Liens

Arthur Williams	$ 18.16
Leo, Phillip and Zoel Therrin	6.84
William M. Taylor	11.37
Jennie Picken	8.62
Mrs. Ethel and Miss Nancy Littlefield	9.10
Mrs. Ethel and Miss Nancy Littlefield	51.80
Harold Hall	9.13
Harold Hall	54.56

Orrin Garland	6.84	
William DeMille	40.90	
Frank Clark	3.40	
Charles E. and Phyllis Butler	136.39	
Mrs. Angelina M. Brown	31.81	
John B. Donovan, balance due	62.12	
		$ 451.04

Interest and Costs not included in the above Liens.

U. S. Government Bond	$ 500.00
	$ 951.04

Tax Deed

Alfred Junkins dated February 2, 1929	$ 19.26

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,

Town Treasurer

Alfred, Maine
February 18, 1949

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY
TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS, 1948

Balance	$3,503.00
Doubleday & Co., refund	3.34
H. B. Fernald, pay shelf	5.00
Mrs. Hattie Clark, books	2.50
Mrs. Bertha Drew, books	2.50
H. B. Fernald, pay shelf	8.00
H. B. Fernald, pay shelf	7.00
H. B. Fernald, pay shelf	6.00
H. B. Fernald, books sold	2.00
H. B. Fernald, pay shelf	5.00
New York Trust Co.	69.35
Library Stipend	35.00
The Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe R. R.	150.00
H. B. Fernald, pay shelf	9.50
Mrs. Charlotte Milmine	30.00
H. B. Fernald, food sale	50.00
H. B. Fernald, pay shelf	6.00
H. B. Fernald, food sale	1.00
Henry Parsons	250.00
H. B. Fernald, pay shelf	5.00
H. B. Fernald, sale of books	18.28
H. B. Fernald, pay shelf	5.00
H. B. Fernald, pay shelf	6.00
New York Trust Co.	68.51
Town of Alfred	350.00
The Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe R. R.	150.00
H. B. Fernald, fines	39.00
H. B. Fernald, pay shelf	5.00
Sanford Institution for Savings, inter-	

est	25.70
Sanford Trust Co., interest	10.55
	$4,828.23

EXPENDITURES

Paid by Order of Directors	$1,434.02
Balance	3,394.21
	$4,828.23

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES W. PLUMMER,
Town Treasurer

Alfred, Maine
February 18, 1949

OLD CEMETERY FUND TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

Balance	$1,859.10
Interest	27.98
	$1,887.08
Paid by Order	$ 6.05
Balance	1,881.03
	$1,887.08

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES W. PLUMMER,
Town Treasurer

Alfred, Maine
February 18, 1949

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Record of Deaths Commencing February 19, 1948

1948		Yrs.	Mos.	Days
Mar. 7	Wesley E. Brackett at Buxton	34	7	26
Mar. 10	Frederick Andrews Hobbs Alfred	72	7	13
Apr. 5	Susan Ellen Tripp at Hollis	79	0	0
Apr. 11	Allan Brooks at Alfred	72	0	29
Apr. 21	Arthur Melrose Burbank at Alfred	83	1	3
May 18	Rev. Eugene Cramillion at Sanford	76	2	0
May 22	Harry Otis Wallingford at Alfred	50	2	15
Jun. 6	Marcel Poirier at Alfred	11	4	21
Jun. 25	Henry R. Trafton at Lewiston	70	3	14
July 1	Florence Abia Nutting at Alfred	95	7	3
Aug. 28	Harrison L. Wallingford Lyman	0	8	0
Sept. 28, 1943	Y/2/c Carl Delbert Horne at Salerno, Italy	33	0	18
Oct. 31, 1944	S/Sgt. Caleb Usher Burbank, Jr. at Benoit, France	20	6	3
1948				
Sept. 11	Jessie Gerrish Hanscom at Jamacia Plain, Mass.	86	11	3
Oct. 26	Geraldine Frances Cook at Sanford	8	10	9

Nov. 15	Adelaide Marion Hewey at Alfred	84	7	15
Nov. 18	Perley Putnam Allen at Alfred	67	9	18
Dec. 2	Julia Tripp Anderson at Reading, Mass.	76	1	23
Dec. 26	Herbert Miller at Alfred	71	5	11
Dec. 28	Walter Centennial Woodman at Jamacia Plain, Mass.	69	8	29
1949				
Jan. 11	Harold Libby at Chicago, Ill.	37	6	5
Jan. 23	Adelia Louisa Carpenter Hunt at Alfred	94	7	2
Feb. 2	Ada Bell Scott at Waterboro	78	11	5

Respectfully submitted,
ELSIE A. DAVIS,
Clerk

DOG LICENSES

Number of Dogs	103
Males	65
Females	7
Spayed Females	31

Amount Collected	$120.70
Paid Secretary of Agriculture	$120.70

Respectfully submitted,
ELSIE A. DAVIS,
Clerk

ANNUAL REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICER

February 23, 1949

To the Selectmen, Town of Alfred, Maine:

Mumps, now prevalent, has been the communicable disease of 1948-49 in Alfred.

Robert T. Hardy has been reappointed Plumbing Inspector for 1949.

Respectfully submitted,
CARL E. RICHARDS, M. D.
Local Health Officer

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

I herein submit a brief report of service rendered the Town of Alfred by the York County Tuberculosis and Health Association for the period beginning January 1, 1948, to December 31, 1948.

Some time has been spent on the control of tuberculosis and follow-up of the previous year's Tuberculosis Survey. Several home visits were made for investigations and follow-up on all contacts, suspicious and known cases of tuberculosis. Forty-six pupils were given Tuberculin Patch tests, one positive reactor found. Six people were given chest X-rays at State Diagnostic Clinics held in Portland and Biddeford.

Several special inspections given school children because of various skin diseases. Some children excluded and taken home from school because of these

conditions. Two pupils had tonsilectomies in Sanford Hospital by Dr. Richards, and financed by the Woman's Auxiliary of the hospital. Seven pupils taken to Sanford dentist, the work completed and each received a dental certificate, this called for several visits to dentist from each pupil. One student taken to Sanford for eye examination and glasses fitted. These corrections were financed by local clubs in Alfred.

Annual inspections completed:

Number pupils inspected	164
Number with no dental defects	72
Number with defective teeth (deciduous)	56
Number with defective teeth (permanent)	37
Number with defective throat	24
Number with defective vision	14
Number infected with scabies	6
Number infected with impetigo	4
Evidence of pediculi	8
Number underweight	10
Number overweight	3

Three immunizations were held in school. The following immunizations were given by Dr. Richards:

Smallpox	24
Diphtheria	7
Whooping Cough	1
Diphtheria and Whooping Cough	5

The finances given by the local clubs has been a tremendous help in making the much needed dental, throat and vision corrections.

The new look in school health is focused sharply on the problem of finding all children in need of medical and dental care and following them until such care is secured by whatever resources the parents and community can give. Each child deserves an opportunity

to achieve optimal growth, good mental and physical development. In order to accomplish this, health education has proven the necessity of at least three medical examinations be given during the child's elementary school career, with a follow-up program to assist in getting all remedial defects corrected. May I suggest that we strive to start this program in 1949, with an addition to our dental clinics, to include Flourine treatments to help reduce dental caries.

I want to thank all the people, including Mr. Wright, Superintendent, Town Officers, Teachers, Seal Sale Chairman, the A.A.M. Club, Local Red Cross, Dr. Richards, and the American Legion Auxiliary for their interest and support of the service.

Respectfully submitted,

York County Tuberculosis and Health Association

By: NELLIE P. SAWYER, R.N.
Public Health Nurse

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Superintending School Committee and the Citizens of Alfred:

It is again my privilege to submit for your consideration the annual report of schools:

Elementary enrollment is 161, an increase of ten over last year. Classification by grades is as follows: Sub-Primary, 19; Grade one, 22; Grade two, 25; Grade three, 13; Grade four, 18; Grade five, 14; Grade six, 14; Grade seven, 21; Grade eight, 15. One elementary pupil attends school in Sanford. Sixteen secondary pupils are enrolled in Sanford High School. Twelve of this number are taking occupational courses and have their tuition paid by the Town of Alfred.

There have been two changes in the teaching personnel this year. Miss Helen L. MacDonald resigned her position in the sub-primary grade and the vacancy thus caused was filled by the election of Mrs. Harriet A. Randall of Springvale, a graduate of Gorham State Teachers' College. Mr. Daniel Boothby of Parsonsfield, who had previously taught in Wilton Academy was elected principal of the High School to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Malcolm W. Roberts who resigned at the end of the last school year. Thus far we have been unable to secure a music supervisor.

The teacher shortage is very acute throughout the State. This is particularly true in rural areas. The town that has and can hold a full corps of teachers is indeed fortunate. Authorities estimate that in Maine

next year 1,600 teachers will be needed to fill vacancies. To meet this need teacher training colleges are graduating only about 125 teachers. The situation seems serious. In spite of somewhat increased salary schedules young people throughout the country are showing a definite lack of interest in becoming teachers.

General repairs and upkeep have been attended to during the year. Last fall to relieve an overcrowded condition part of the pupils of grade one was assigned to the sub-primary room. For the accommodation of these pupils new desks and chairs were ordered. After considerable delay in shipment these were received and installed. Recently the room occupied by the third and fourth grades has been partially equipped with fluorescent lights. Those who attended the Patrons' Supper given by the Senior Class of the High School at the school building know how much of an improvement has been made by the installation of this system. We wish to continue this lighting program during the coming year, and will do so insofar as appropriation will allow. At the present time the assembly room is inadequately ventilated. The only way this can be done is by opening windows. Something should be done to improve this condition. The room should also be painted in the near future.

May I in closing express my sincere appreprіation to the teachers, the school committee, and the citizens of Alfred for their help and consideration during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

MAYNARD E. WRIGHT,

Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL

To the Superintendent of Schools, School Committee, Selectmen and Citizens of the Town of Alfred, I respectfully submit the following report:

School opened on September 7, 1948 with an enrollment of 28 students. One student left during the year and one enrolled, leaving the same number. They are divided by classes as follows: Seniors, 9; Juniors, 8; Sophomores, 7; Freshmen, 4.

The College Preparatory Course and the General Course have been offered this year. Eleven students are taking the College Preparatory Course; the remaining students are taking the General Course.

This year we have had periodic assemblies with members of the clergy speaking on a wide range of social problems. We had two other guest speakers: Mr. Alfred Center of Brunswick, Maine, who spoke on the town manager form of government, and Ralph Gould of Madison, Maine, who spoke on his trip through the Caribbean Sea.

The students have participated in all of the extra-curricular activities of the Central York County League and have made a creditable showing in all events. They have taken part in the following events: Horseshoes, spelling, and basketball. They will also take part in baseball, public speaking, and checkers this spring.

We have added maps of Europe and the United States to the Social Studies Department, and plan to add new equipment to the laboratory before the end of the year.

We have been handicapped in music because of no music supervisor. The students miss this very much, and it is an important part of their education.

The audio-visual aid program has been handicapped by the failure of our projector. We have, however, shown several educational films on a borrowed projector. A few films have been returned without being shown, because we were unable to borrow a projector.

I want to take this opportunity to express my appreciation to the Superintendent of Schools, School Board, Selectmen, teachers and townspeople for their cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL C. BOOTHBY,

Principal

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Resources

Balance, 1948			$ 2,531.09
Appropriation, 1948			15,000.00
State School Fund:			
High School Tuition	$ 916.67		
Teaching Positions	5,917.21		
School Enrollment	576.25		
Closed Schools	200.00		
		7,610.13	

Tuition

Ralph W. Littlefield	$ 54.00		
Henry W. Brock	14.00		
Town of Lyman	89.50		
		157.50	
State Subsidy		109.00	
Refund, Boston & Maine R. R.		2.05	
Total Resources			$25,409.77

EXPENDITURES

	Elementary	Secondary
Instruction	$8,598.16	$4,691.50
Fuel	668.80	402.50
Janitor Service	1,080.00	923.00
Conveyance	2,890.94	
Tuition	54.00	1,437.50

Text Books	460.77	181.25	
Supplies, Lights	422.23	321.66	
	$14,174.90	$7,957.41	
Total Expenditures			$22,132.31
Balance, February, 1949			3,277.46
			$25,409.77

ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES

Instruction

	Elementary	Secondary	
Josephine D. Gould	$1,457.50		
Mary D. Steele	484.66		
Helen L. MacDonald	720.00		
Celia M. Day	1,573.75		
Beatrice L. Clark	1,705.00		
Hattie E. Clark	1,705.00		
Harriet A. Randall	935.00		
Dorothy Clark	17.25		
Malcolm W. Roberts		1,080.00	
Miriam B. Moody		2,105.00	
Daniel Boothby		1,485.00	
Ruth J. Knight		21.50	
	$8,598.16	$4,691.50	
Total			$13,289.66

Fuel

Ken Yates	$ 2.50	$ 2.50	
Carpenter Fuel Co.	666.30	400.00	
	$ 668.80	$ 402.50	
Total			$1,071.30

Janitor Service

Everett Kimball	$1,072.00	$ 916.00	
Ken Yates	8.00	7.00	
	$1,080.00	$ 923.00	
Total			$2,003.00

Conveyance

Roscoe Hussey	$1,300.00	
Harold Hall	1,080.00	
Everett Kimball	400.00	
Homer E. Crooker Insurance Agency	9.45	
Leavitt Insurance Agency	101.49	
Total		$2,890.94

Tuition

Town of Sanford	$ 54.00	$1,437.50	
Total			$1,491.50

Text Books

Dowling School Supply Co.	$ 3.13
Scott, Foresman & Co.	99.15
World Book Co.	21.94
Houghton Mifflin Co.	8.74
The Arlo Publishing Co.	16.27
Rand McNally & Co.	47.54
The Macmillan Co.	43.20
Roland M. Leach	5.55
American Education Press, Inc.	12.80

M. E. Bouttel	4.00		
Follett Publishing Co.	22.44		
American Book Co.	99.99		
Ginn and Co.	22.96	19.40	
Iroquois Publishing Co.	30.71	49.74	
The Grolier Society	22.35	53.85	
A. J. Nystrom & Co.		10.30	
Fred L. Tower Companies		10.00	
Loring, Short & Harmon		2.77	
The John C. Winston Co.		3.19	
The Psychological Corp.		3.25	
Allyn and Bacon		3.10	
Science Research Associates		2.20	
National Geographic Society		5.00	
Daniel Boothby		10.00	
Boston Herald-Traveler Corp.		8.45	
	$ 460.77	$ 181.25	
Total			$ 642.02

Supplies

Cascade Paper Co.	$ 25.20		
Everett Kimball	2.48		
Howard & Brown	8.05		
Mainco Trading Co.	27.10		
Ernest G. Knights	4.50		
Maynard E. Wright	7.28	5.00	
Berry Paper Co.	45.00	16.54	
Edward E. Babb Co.	23.10	14.62	
Wilbur G. Shaw	1.25	1.25	
Central Maine Power Co.	98.92	82.90	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	38.30	59.69	

John A. Roberts	12.09	4.00	
Loring, Short & Harmon	52.64	21.38	
Floor-Shine Wax Co.	25.22	17.00	
Boston Janitors Supply Co.	14.25	5.00	
The C. B. Dolge Co.	18.00	8.00	
Averill Press	7.75	14.05	
M. D. Stetson Co.	6.83	6.00	
Ginn and Co.	4.28	1.70	
J. L. Hammet Co.		5.18	
Rochester Germicide Co.		34.24	
Kinney & Frost Inc.		7.85	
Cambosco Scientific Co.		17.26	
	$ 422.23	$ 321.66	
Total			$ 743.89

REPAIRS ACCOUNT

Appropriation $1,900.00

EXPENDITURES

	Elementary	Secondary
E. Nolet	$ 29.95	
Carl N. Hanson	7.50	
Forrest Clark	2.92	
Loring, Short & Harmon	179.07	
Edward E. Babb Co.	227.29	
Ralph W. Smith	13.14	
E. C. Ricker & Sons	2.45	
Glenn F. Mooers	240.00	
Ken Yates	3.00	3.00
M. F. Bragdon Paint Co.	40.00	28.25

John A. Roberts	42.05	22.00	
Shepard & Morse Lumber Co.	1.38	1.00	
J. W. Plummer	109.35	100.00	
N. J. Gendron Lumber Co.	10.34	7.00	
Robert E. Morey	4.00	2.00	
W. L. Blake & Co.	15.78	10.00	
Earl Ghedone	80.00	45.00	
Inness Photo Service		11.75	
World Radio Store		1.00	
	$1,008.22	$ 231.00	
Total Expenditures			$1,239.22
Balance, February, 1949			660.78
			$1,900.00

SUPERINTENDENCE ACCOUNT

Paid Maynard E. Wright from Town Officers' Account	$ 489.15

NOTE: The sum of $98.79 has recently been received from the State to be used for special projects. This money is unexpended.

SUMMARY

Resources for all School Accounts:

School Account	$25,409.77	
Repairs Account	1,900.00	
Superintendence Account	489.15	
Special Project	98.79	
Total		$27,897.71

Expenditures for all School Accounts:

School Account	$22,132.31	
Repairs Account	1,239.22	
Superintendence Account	89.15	
Special Project—No Expenditure		
Total		$23,860.68
Balance		$ 4,037.03

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

To the Directors of Parsons Memorial Library:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit the annual report of the library.

During the past year, we have added over one hundred books, many of these were either donated by different people or sent to us by Mr. Joseph Parsons of New York.

We still have a small boy shelf, which helps towards the purchase of some of the late fiction.

Mrs. Charles Millmine kindly remembered us with a check for magazine subscriptions, Mrs. Howard Clark and Mrs. Harry Drew gave the library a subscription to the fine new children's magazine "Jr" which is being much enjoyed and the New Century Club, as has been their custom in the past, gave us a book this year "House Divided" by Ben Ames Williams.

As our book fund is smaller and books much more expensive these gifts have helped out greatly.

Mr. Henry Parsons again generously sent us an extra check for maintenance, with the suggestion that any money left over be used for the improvement of the grounds. A start has been made in this direction, with the hope that more can be done in the spring.

A food sale sponsored by the directors and librarian was held for this purpose in October and the public responded generously.

The wood work and floors were refinished during the summer, several much needed bookcases were added to hold the overflow of children's books and a statute

of "Hercules" formerly owned by the late Mr. Frederick Hobbs was loaned to the library.

The hours in the afternoon on Wednesday have been changed to accommodate the school children, who come on the bus.

Mrs. Carroll Beals resigned in the fall as assistant librarian and Mrs. Harry Drew was appointed in her place.

May we all keep in mind: "Books are the legacies that genius leaves to mankind."

Respectfully submtted,

FLORENCE R. HEWEY,

Librarian.

Following is a list of books added during the year

Allen, Frederick Lewis I Remember Distinctly
Amory, Cleveland The Proper Bostonians
Anderson, Ethel Todd The Scarlet Bird
Appleton, Victor Tom Swift and His Airline Express
Appleton, Victor Tom Swift and His Sky Train
Appleton, Victor Tom Swift and His Air Scouts
Appleton, Victor.... Tom Swift and His Talking Pictures
Armstrong, Charlotte The Chocolate Cobweb
Bailey, L. H. Manual of Gardening
Bassett, Sara Ware The Harbor
Bates, H. E. The Purple Plain
Baum, Vickie Headless Angel
Beard, Charles and Mary S. America in Mid-passage
Bellaman, Henry Paris Mitchell of Kings Road
Berry, Erick Seven Beaver Skins
Berryman, Opal Leigh Pioneer Preacher

Boyed, Martin Stars in My Crown
Boyle, Kay Monday Night
Bromfield, Louis Malabar Farm
Brynes, James F. Speaking Frankly
Buck, Pearl S. American Unity and Asia
Buck, Pearl S. Peony
Caldwell, Taylor Melissa
Carroll, Gladys Hasty While the Angels Sing
Carter, Geo. Goldsmith The Smacksmen
Cavanna, Betty A Girl Can Dream
Chase, Mary Ellen Jonathan Fisher
Cristie, Agatha There Is A Tide
Churchill, Winston S. The Gathering Storm
Glason, Clyde B. The Purple Parrot
Clement, E. H. Let Him Die
Coe, Chas. Francis G. Men
Clymer, Eleanor The Trolley Car Family
Cresson, Margaret French Journey Into Fame
Cronin, A. J. Shannon's Way
Dana, Richard Henry Two Years Before the Mast
Davis, Lovinia R. Melody, Button Bone and Sam
Dickerson, Ruth Roof Over Our Heads
Dinsey, Doris Miles That Which is Crooked
Dobier, Maurice The Magic Bus
Douglas, Lloyd C. The Big Fisherman
Early, Eleanor New Orleans Holiday
Eggleston, Edward The Hoosier Schoolmaster
Emerson, Alice B. ... Ruth Fielding at Light House Point
Emerson, Alice B. On Cliff Island
Emerson, Alice B. At Golden Pass
Forbes, Esther The Running of the Tide
Fox, Emmet The Sermen on the Mt.
Fuller, Alice Cook Gold for the Grahams
Gardner, Erle Stanley... The Case of the Lonely Heiress
Gardner, Erle Stanley The Case of the Turning Tide
Goodwin, Rutherford A Brief and True Report Concerning Williamsburg, Va.

Goudge, Elizabeth Pilgrim's Inn
Helmericks, Constance and Harmon
..... We Live in the Arctic
Helmericks, Constance and Harmon
..... Our Summer with the Eskimos
Hill, Grace L. and Ruth L. Mary Arden
Hobart, Alice Tisdale The Cleft Rock
Huggins, Alice Margaret The Red Chair Waits
Hurd, Charles Washington Calvacade
Jackson, Elizabeth Rhodes Beacon Hill Children
Jackson, Kathy and Byron Busy Timmy
Jones, Herbert Isles of Casco Bay
Kane, Harnett J. Bride of Fortune
Kellino, Pamela Del Palma
Kendrick, Bayward The Flames of Time
Kent, Louise Andrews
..... Village Greens of New England
Kielty, Bernadine A Treasury of Short Stories
Kiern, John Editor Information Please Almanac
Lamont, Thomas My Boyhood in a Parsonage
Larrimore, Lida Each Shineing Hour
Lawrence, Josephine The Pleasant Morning Sight
Leach, Margaret Reveille in Washington
Lenski, Lois Judy's Journey
Livingston, Florence B. The Custard Cup
Lockridge, Jr., Ross Raintree County
Loring, Emilie I Hear Adventure Calling
Lowrey, Janette The Pokey Little Puppy
Lyons, A. C. Invitation to Boston
MacDonald, Betty The Plague and I
MacElroy, Robert
..... Grover Cleveland, the Statesman and the Man
Malkus, Alida Constancia, Lona
Marshall, Dean The Invisible Island
Marshall, Edison Yankee Pasha
Marshall, Edison The Castle in the Swamp
McCrone, Guy Red Plush

McNeer, May The Golden Flash
McNeile, H. C. Challenge
McSwigan, Marie Snow Treasure
Means, Florence Assorted Sisters
Meader, Stephen Behind the Ranges
Miers, Earl Gettsburg
Michner, James W. Tales of the South Pacific
Miller Helen Topping Flame Vine
Mitchell, Lucy Sprague The Little House in the Forest
Morehead, Allan Eclipse
Nesbitt, Henrietta White House Diary
Nicholson, Harold The Desire to Please
Noble, Hollister Woman With A Sword
Norton, Chas. Elliot Ed. Letters of James Russel Lowell
Oliver, Marjorie N. Riding Days
Orton, Helen Fuller Mystery Up the Chimney
Osborn, Fairfield Our Plundered Planet
Owen, Frank Editor Teen-age Mystery Stories
Paul, C. Kegan The Thoughts of Pascal
Perkins, Lucy Fitch The Farm Twins
Perkins, Lucy Fitch The Dutch Twins and Little Brother
Platt, Rutherford Our Flowering World
Porter, Eleanor H. Miss Billy
Price, Willard Japan's Islands of Mystery
Rau, Santha Roma Home to India
Rendine, Laura Cooper Roommates
Reilly, Michael Reilly of the White House
Repplier, Agnes Mere Marie of the Ursulines
Rinehart, Mary Roberts A Light in the Window
Rowe, Wm. Hutchinson The Maritime History of Maine
Sandburg, Carl Remembrance Rock
Santay, George The Middle Span
Seaman, Augusta Huell

..... The Mystery of the Folding Key
Seaman, Augusta Huell
..... The Disappearance of Anne Shaw
Seyton, Anya The Hearth and Eagle
Seyton, Anya Dragonwyck
Sharp, Marjorie The Foolish Gentle Woman
Sherman, Edith Bishop Mistress Madcap
Smith, Betty Tomorrow Will Be Better
Smith, Dodie I Capture the Castle
Smith, Irene The Santa Claus Book
Stackpole, Everett S.
..... Old Kittery and Her Families
Stewart, Geo. R. Fire
Stillwell, Gen. Jos. M. The Stillwell Papers
Stockridge, Frank Parker Florida in the Making
Swanson, Niel The Unconquered
Thorne, Dana Famous Dog Stories
Toynbee, Arnold Civilization on Trial
Truenfel, Rudolph L. Eisenhower Speeches
Van de Water, Frederick Reluctant Rebel
Vance, Ethel The Secret Thread
Vance, Marguerite Martha, Daughter of Virginia
Vizetelley, Henry E., Editor International Year Book
Vogt, William Road to Survival
Wagoner, Jean Brown
..... Louisa Alcott, Girl of Old Boston
Warner, Esther New Songs in a Strange Land
Weber, Lenora Beany Malone
Webster's Biographical Dictionary
Whitney, Janet Abigail Adams
White, Neila Gardner No Trumpet Before Him
Widdemer, Margaret Lani
Williams, Ben Ames House Divided
Winant, John Letters from Governor Square
Woodbury, George John Goffe's Mill
World Almanac, 1948
Yerby, Frank The Golden Hawk

State of Maine

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT

AUGUSTA

October 29, 1948

Board of Selectmen

Alfred, Maine

Gentlemen:

In accordance with Chapter 16, Section 3 of the Revised Statutes of 1944 and at your request, the records of the Town of Alfred have been audited by Auditor M. W. Bragdon for the period February 9, 1947 to February 6, 1948 inclusive.

The examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards applicable in the circumstances and included all procedures which were considered necessary. Insofar as could be ascertained within the scope of the examination, the financial transactions of the Town appear to have been appropriately handled, with such exceptions as may be noted in the accompanying Comments.

Exhibits and Schedules incorporated in this report present the result of the financial operations of the Town for the period designated.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Very truly yours,

FRED M. BERRY,

State Auditor

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COMMENTS

Re: Audit of Accounts—Town of Alfred
February 9, 1947 to February 6, 1948

An examination has been made of the financial transactions of the Town of Alfred for the Municipal year ended February 6, 1948. This examination consisted of a thorough check of all cash received and disbused and such test checks of other operations as seemed advisable.

All asset and liability accounts were reviewed and verifications made to the extent deemed necessary.

Cash

The cash balance at the close of the municipal year amounted to $2,500.92, which was reconciled with the records of the Treasurer and the bank statement of the Sanford Trust Company. The total amount was available for current operations.

Accounts Receivable

This account is represented by an amount due from the State of Maine for expenditures made by the Town on unimproved roads. Payment was received after the books closed.

Taxes Receivable

The 1947 valuation book of the Assessors and the related commitment of taxes were examined. Collections were reviewed, abatements found authorized and the individual uncollected taxes were listed.

Many prior years' taxes were abated, and those remaining for the years 1935, 1936 and 1937 are of doubt-

ful value. A reserve of 100% has been set up against the taxes for these three years.

Tax Liens

Payments received and adjustments made on tax liens were checked and verified with the records. All liens were found on file and were examined.

Tax Acquired Property

A number of tax liens not redeemed within the eighteen months expiration period have been transferred to this account as tax acquired property now owned by the town. Schedule A-5 lists in detail these properties and the amount of unpaid taxes.

Investments

In December 1944, the Town purchased one $500.00 U. S. Savings Bond which matures in 1956. The bond which was held at the home of the Treasurer was examined.

Special Funds

The records of two special funds, known as the Old Cemetery Fund and the Parsons Memorial Library Fund, were examined. Expenditures were found properly authorized and cash balances fully accounted for.

Accounts Payable

In 1946 an overpayment of $12.04 was made by Joseph Fournier on his tax account. He has not been reimbursed for this amount. Other amounts owed by the Town represented withholding taxes and teachers' retirement contributions.

Net Deficit

The net deficit represents the excess of liabilities over assets. The complete analysis of the changes in this account is shown on Exhibit E of this report.

Revenue and Expenditures

On Exhibit F is presented a statement of the sources from which the current year's revenue were derived and the expenditures applicable to this revenue.

While this Exhibit shows a net gain from operations of $1,441.54, this was accomplished by bringing forward by vote of the town departmental balances of $666.25 that had been lapsed in the 1946 year and the transfer of $1,356.66 from the net deficit account to be used in computing tax requirements.

General

Corporate surety bonds covering the Treasurer and Tax Collector were found on file and appeared to be in order.

With the payment of the $600.00 note for work done on the so-called Nutter Road, the Town became practically free of debt.

The records of the Town Clerk were reviewed for appropriations and salaries of officers.

Excise tax receipts were verified by examination of the copies of the receipts retained by the Collector.

The books and records of the Town were found readily available and efficiently maintained.

TOWN OF

COMPARATIVE

ASSETS

	February 6, 1948		February 8, 1947	
Cash on Hand and in Bank		$2,500.92		$3,084.98
Accounts Receivable (Schedule A-1)		1,253.98		
Taxes Receivable (Schedule A-2)	$3,131.89		$2,200.64	
Less—Reserve for Losses	482.51		770.53	
		2,649.38		1,430.11
Tax Liens (Schedule A-3)	512.03		786.12	
Less—Reserve for Losses	128.01		152.85	
		384.02		633.27
Tax Deeds (Schedule A-4)	19.26		19.26	
Less—Reserve for Losses	9.63		9.63	
		9.63		9.63
Tax Acquired Property (Schedule A-5)		115.33		
Investments (Schedule A-6)		500.00		500.00
Special Funds: (Schedule A-7)				
Old Cemetery Fund	1,859.10		1,870.57	
Parsons Memorial Library	3,503.00		3,422.35	
		5,362.10		5,292.92
TOTAL ASSETS		$12,775.36		$10,950.91

Exhibit A

ALFRED, MAINE

BALANCE SHEET

LIBILITIES

	February 6, 1948	February 9, 1947
Accounts Payable (Schedule A-8)	$ 336.29	$ 446.69
Notes Payable		600.00
Total Liabilities	336.29	1,046.69
Deferred Revenue—Excise Tax	1,838.11	1,036.35

RESERVE

Special Funds: (Schedule A-7)				
Old Cemetery Account	$1,859.10		$1,870.57	
Parsons Memorial Library	3,503.00		3,422.35	
		5,362.10		5,292.92

SURPLUS

Appropriated (Exhibit D)	5,711.88		3,874.18	
Net Deficit (Exhibit E.)	**473.02**		**299.23**	
		5,238.86		3,574.95
TOTAL LIABILITES, RESERVE AND SURPLUS		$12,775.36		$10,950.91



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